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Dear Fellow Missourian,

Almost one in five Missourians will be 65 or older by 2020. One of the biggest challenges we face in Missouri, and across the nation, is having relevant data in a centralized report that allows policy leaders and the private sector to prepare for the older population's needs. Welcome to the first edition of *Missouri Senior Report: Ahead of the Baby Boom: Missouri Prepares*. This document will shape our decision-making and help our communities prepare.

The phenomenal growth of the older population in Missouri and around the world is driving some of the most significant social and economic developments of our time. In the face of this transformation, past responses to aging and past perceptions of older adults no longer work. Aging itself is rapidly evolving, forcing us to rethink what it means to grow old. Strategic and visionary planning are vital to ensuring that resources will be available to serve the needs of our ever growing and changing senior population.

As your elderly advocate, I applaud the Department of Health and Senior Services and the University of Missouri Office of Social and Economic Data Analysis for their collaboration to make this comprehensive report a reality. This report helps us reassess our efforts to meet the current needs of older adults and reaffirm our commitment to work toward a better future for them.

Sincerely,

Peter Kinder
Lieutenant Governor



Dear Fellow Missourian,

Today's older Americans and Missourians are dramatically different from previous generations. They're better educated and living longer. While some are experiencing healthier lives, many remain challenged by chronic diseases, as well as economic and social concerns. These differences are accelerating as the first baby boomers hit retirement age and are highlighted in *Missouri Senior Report: Ahead of the Baby Boom: Missouri Prepares*.

Now Missouri businesses and policymakers can learn about the diverse and dynamic seniors in their communities all in one report. They can even track the trends of aging Missourians county by county.

The Department of Health and Senior Services and the University of Missouri Office of Social and Economic Data Analysis partnered to bring you this data on Missouri seniors never before centralized in one document. We knew it was imperative that Missouri policymakers and businesses be able to track the trends of seniors in their own communities and counties rather than rely on national aging statistics.

This report is a first in our state and the catalyst for more to come. We look forward to future collaborations and the limitless opportunities that an ever changing and expanding senior population brings to Missouri.

Sincerely,

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Director

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Introduction

Missouri is on the edge of an important demographic change—soon a much larger proportion of our population will be older. Aging baby boomers and increases in life expectancy are likely to cause the proportion of Missouri’s senior population to rise from about 10 percent today to approximately 15 percent by 2010, and over 18 percent by 2020. The increasing number of seniors will impact many aspects of our lives, including the nature of the demand for health care, housing and transportation. Our current understanding about workforce requirements and the very notion of “retirement” may change. The Missouri Senior Report provides information to respond to these changes.

The report presents a summary of comparative information about key aging issues for Missouri. Trend data is available for eight indicators. Statewide, Missouri is improving on four indicators, declining on three and shows no change on one. Improvements are noted in workforce participation, transportation, health care access, and crime. Declines occur for measures of health status and long-term care. The economic well-being indicator for seniors shows no change. Trend data for an important senior indicator, social participation, is not yet available.

However, these trends affect Missouri communities in different ways. Demographically, Missouri is a very diverse state. The county populations range from over a million in St. Louis County to fewer than 2,300 in Worth County. Also, population characteristics and economic trends differ a great deal among Missouri’s large cities, suburbs and rural communities. Consequently, the growth of the senior population is likely to have different implications for different communities.

To address this diversity, the report presents information for each Missouri county. The purpose is to provide summary information about important aging issues in a comparative framework. Communities may then consider how demographic changes influence their local needs. The report ranks each county on outcome indicators and also includes an overall county composite rank—a summary index of the overall well-being of seniors by county. To place these annual outcome measures in context, a set of “status indicators” on demographics, quality of life and wellness are included for each county.

As communities learn to accommodate to aging trends, they will confront specific challenges and opportunities. The indicators in the report will be used to track the direction of change.

The report includes brief articles on the status of Missouri seniors regarding transportation, mental health and health disparities. Resources of interest to seniors are also listed.

Development and Structure of Senior Report Indicators

The report presents a relatively small set of comparative indicators for each Missouri county. The objective is to present a brief snapshot of important indicators annually. The choice of a small set of indicators and measures was challenging. Nearly 500 Missourians provided advice at regional meetings in the fall of 2005 about which aging-related issues to include and how to structure the report. They made suggestions about how to measure the issues and emphasized that the county summary should be kept to a single page of measures that could be reviewed annually. An advisory committee provided insight about the final selection of indicators. The Web site (www.missouriseniorreport.org) includes additional information and graphics. Further refinements in these measures will be made in the future and analyses added to the Web site.

The outcome and status measures were derived from reliable sources and tested for statistical reliability and validity. Measures were reviewed for ‘face validity’, or the meaningfulness of the indicator to describe counties across time and comparatively. Each outcome measure was reviewed to ensure a sufficient number of cases were available per county to yield a reasonable estimate, and to ensure the distribution of the estimates among counties was relatively normal. Measures of statistical significance are available on the Web site. The composite county ranking is based on the sum of the standardized values for eight of the outcome measures. It represents an overall measure of well-being of seniors. The purpose of the ranking is to help focus improvement on local factors that contribute to the quality of life of Missouri seniors.

The report is organized around two types of indicators: “outcome” and

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“status” indicators. Outcome indicators seek to measure progress over time and are designed to reflect efforts to improve outcomes for seniors. They normally involve trend data. For each outcome indicator, a county receives a rank, which contributes to its overall outcome ranking. Status indicators present demographic, quality of life and health status measures for a single point in time. They are intended to provide background and contextual information for the interpretation of outcome measures.

Outcome Indicators

Household Composition

The 2000 U.S. Census indicates Missouri had a relatively large proportion of seniors living in single person households. Seniors who live with someone are less likely to be socially isolated and may have help with many issues. Consequently, household composition is an important indicator for seniors’ well-being. Because census measures of single person households are not available annually, the percent of seniors filing joint income tax returns was used to gauge household composition. Between 2000 and 2005, the percent of seniors filing joint income tax returns remained stable, ranging between 44.8 and 44.3 percent, respectively. In 2005 the percent of seniors filing joint returns ranged from a high of 58.1 percent in Washington County to a low of 28.9 percent in Knox County.

Economic Well-being

Economic well-being for seniors can be measured by the percentage of seniors living in poverty. In 2000 the poverty rate for Missouri seniors was 9.9 percent, as compared to 10.9 percent nationally. Census poverty estimates for the senior population are not available annually; however, estimates as to how many low-income people and seniors receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) are. The Bureau of Economic Analysis provides these annual estimates. Therefore, a relative index of economic well-being was created by calculating the SSI payment as a percentage of total personal income. In Missouri, overall SSI payments represent one-third of one percent of total personal income. By county, this index of economic well-being ranges from a high of 1.8 percent in Pemiscot County to a low of under one-tenth

of a percent in Platte and St. Charles Counties.

Workforce Participation

Senior participation in the workforce may be viewed as either an adverse or positive outcome. An adverse view may result if seniors work because they are strapped for cash and would prefer to be fully retired. If, however, workforce participation is the result of an increased availability in service and retail jobs that are less physically demanding than other jobs, and if seniors want to remain economically and socially engaged, the outcome can be positive. On balance, the advisory committee views an increase in senior workforce participation as positive. Senior participation in the Missouri workforce increased from 9.8 percent in 2001 to 10.9 percent in 2004. By county, senior participation in the workforce ranged from a low of under one percent in Douglas County to a high of 21 percent in Taney County in 2004. Clearly, seniors are an economic asset to their communities and the state.

Transportation

Transportation is important to obtain goods and services or visit friends and family. Whether seniors have the capacity to meet their transportation needs is often measured by how many hold a valid driver’s license. Transportation needs are also likely to vary depending on the availability of mass transit. Whatever transportation arrangements seniors make, the lack of a driver’s license indicates that transportation is an issue. The percent of Missouri seniors with a valid driver’s license increased from 76.7 percent in 2001 to 79.6 percent in 2005. In counties with lower percentages of licensed senior drivers, transportation is likely to be a more pressing issue than in counties with higher percentages. In 2005 the percent of Missouri seniors with a valid driver’s license ranged from a high of 92.0 percent in Taney County, to a low of 54.8 percent in St. Louis City.

Health Status

Selecting one health status measure for the senior population is particularly hard because of the wide range of health issues confronting seniors. The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services maintains numerous health measures and Internet applications to help inform communities of

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health status needs. These resources are referenced later in the report. This report utilizes the measure of “number of hospitalizations and ER visits for diabetes, averaged over three years per 10,000 seniors”. This measure was selected because the number of cases by county is sufficient to produce a reliable rate, because diabetes is related to many other health problems, and because effective preventive measures can reduce the incidence of diabetes and related health problems. The rate of diabetes hospitalizations and ER visits per 10,000 seniors in Missouri increased from 68.3 in 2000, to 71.1 in 2003. In 2003 the rate ranged from a high of 239.3 in Reynolds County to 22.2 in Clark County.

Health Care Access

One measure of health care access for seniors is the number of primary care physicians per 1,000 seniors. Overall access improved in Missouri between 2000 and 2004, largely because the number of primary care physicians per 1,000 Missourians increased from the equivalent of 5.1 to 5.5 full-time physicians. In 2004 access to primary care physicians ranged from a low of under one-half of one full-time primary care physician per 1,000 seniors in Bollinger County to over 15 per 1,000 seniors in Boone County.

Long Term Care

Long-term care is a significant health care cost, especially for seniors and the state, due to Medicaid expenditures. It has also been an element of many health care reform initiatives. The number and value of long-term care insurance policies would be a useful measure for this indicator. However, this data is not reported by county. Consequently, this report presents Medicaid costs for in-home and institutionalized long-term care services per capita. This annual measure shows the trend in long-term care expense. It has increased from \$122 per capita in 2002 to \$147 per capita in 2005 – a 25% increase in three years in unadjusted dollars. However, because the measure is confounded between counties by differential rates of Medicaid eligibility and differential health care costs, this measure is not used in the construction of the overall county index of senior well-being.

Crime

At regional planning meetings for the report, participants consistently expressed a concern about crime and its relation to seniors. Accordingly, the number of property and violent crimes per 1,000 persons is reported as an outcome measure. Overall the Missouri crude crime rate declined from 48.8 in 2001 to 43.9 in 2005. In 2005 the crude crime rate ranged from a low of 1.6 crimes per 1,000 persons in Schuyler County to a high of 133.6 in St. Louis City.

Senior Participation

Social isolation was one of the most frequently mentioned issues at the regional meetings. The importance of social participation and engagement for seniors' quality of life was stressed repeatedly. Accordingly, this report creates a “Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors”. The index combines standardized indices of voter registration, voter participation (civic engagement), and relative participation of seniors in Area Agencies on Aging (AAA) programs. While the index is a reliable measure for comparisons among counties, trend data incorporating updates from the AAAs will not be available until next year. In 2005, the overall senior participation index for Missouri was 42.5 percent, ranging from a high of 73.5 percent in Reynolds County to a low of 34.7 in Franklin County.

Status Indicators

Demographics

The proportion of seniors in Missouri's population has actually declined slightly in recent years, but will begin to expand rapidly as the decade ends. Overall, Missouri's population is approaching six million and in recent years has sustained slow but steady overall growth—a nearly three percent increase between 2000 and 2005. The state's senior population (65 and older) also increased slowly from 755,824 in 2000 to 784,467 in 2005—a 3.7 percent increase. The recent consistent growth of the senior population compared to the total population in Missouri reflects the smaller cohorts of people born during the Great Depression and World War II. Consequently, the percent of

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the population 65 and older in Missouri remained stable at 13.5 percent. A similar pattern is occurring nationally. However, more and more baby boomers are turning 60 and soon will begin turning 65. The Missouri senior population is projected to reach nearly 15 percent of the total population by 2010, and to over 18 percent by 2020—proportions higher than the nation overall. An important characteristic of the senior population is the greater proportion of women than men. This gender difference is projected to moderate somewhat, but remain a persistent feature of the older population with implications for the types of services seniors need.

Quality of Life

Six measures of the overall quality of life among seniors are included as status indicators. The most recent source for these measures is the 2000 U.S. Census, although the introduction of the American Community Survey will provide annual estimates in the coming years.

Owner-Occupied Housing

Seniors' housing needs are more likely to be met if they live in owner-occupied housing. In 2000, Missouri had a higher percent of owner-occupied housing among seniors (79.1%) than the nation overall (77.6%). The rate ranged from 91 percent in Hickory County to 61 percent in St. Louis City.

Seniors Living in Families

Family life adds to the senior population's well-being. The Census defines families as two or more related persons living in the same household. Persons residing in single person households are not reported as "families." In 2000, 61.3 percent of Missouri seniors lived in family households compared with 64.0 percent nationally. By county, the percent of seniors living in family households ranged from a high of 73 percent in Stone County to fewer than 50 percent in the City of St. Louis.

Median Value of Owner-Occupied Housing

Home ownership is a significant asset for most seniors and the relative value of housing is a useful indicator of county assets. In 2000, the median value of owner-occupied housing in Missouri was \$86,900 compared with \$111,800 nationally. By county, the median value of housing ranged from a high of \$127,800 in Platte County to a low of \$34,300 in Worth County.

Seniors in Poverty

The proportion of seniors living in poverty is a direct measure of economic need. However, the Census infrequently measures senior poverty rates at the county level. In 2000 the overall poverty rate among seniors in Missouri was 9.9 percent compared with 10.9 percent nationally. In 2000 by county, the poverty rate among seniors ranged from a low of 5.1 percent in St. Charles County to a high of 23.2 percent in Pemiscot County.

Average Income of Senior Households

In 2000 the average income of households headed by seniors in Missouri was \$37,822 compared with \$41,712 nationally. In 2000 by county, average household income ranged from over \$51,000 in St. Louis County to just under \$21,600 in Putnam County.

Seniors with a College Education

A high proportion of seniors with a college education increases the capacity of communities to contribute to the quality of life of seniors. In 2000, 11.8 percent of Missouri seniors had a college education compared with 15.4 percent for the United States. The senior population with a college education in 2000 ranged from 27.9 percent in Boone County to 3.0 percent in Schuyler County.

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Health and Wellness

The health and wellness of Missouri seniors can be gauged in many ways. The report presents seven indicators related to long-term health and wellness. These indicators have been selected because preventative practices can be adopted to foster improved health. These wellness measures are from health survey data for which the best estimate available is a multi-county regional measure. Additional information and references about health indicators and health practices are available at the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services' Web sites www.dhss.mo.gov/CommunityDataProfiles/ and www.dhss.mo.gov/Health/index.html.

No Exercise, 2005

In 2005 the percent of Missouri seniors reporting they participated in no exercise was slightly higher (34.7%) than the national rate among seniors (34.0%).

No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004

Nearly 40 percent of Missouri seniors (39.4%) report not having a screening test for colon cancer (sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy) within the past 10 years; the national percent is 36.7.

High Blood Pressure, 2005

The Missouri and United States rates are the same (54.8%) for seniors who have been told by a health care professional that they have high blood pressure.

Obesity, 2005

Slightly more Missouri seniors (21.6%) have a body mass index indicating obesity than seniors nationally (21.0%).

Smoking, 2005

More Missouri seniors report currently smoking (9.2%) than seniors nationally (8.9%).

No Mammography, 2004

A greater percent of Missouri senior women (28.8%) have not have had a mammogram in the past year than senior women nationally (24.9%).

High Cholesterol, 2005

More Missouri seniors (55.3%) have been told by a health care professional that they have high cholesterol levels than seniors nationally (50.5%).

Conclusion

The report offers valuable information on the current status of Missouri's senior population and highlights areas of strength and opportunity. It is intended to increase awareness of the demographic issues that will impact Missouri in the next decade and beyond. Communities, policy leaders, individuals are encouraged to use this report as a tool to assess, plan and respond to the impact of the increasing population.

Disparities and Seniors

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Population

Missouri seniors accounted for 13.3 percent of the state population in 2004, according to recent estimates from the University of Missouri Office of Social and Economic Data Analysis (OSED). The number of seniors is expected to increase, reaching 16.3 percent by 2010. By 2020, almost one-fifth of all Missourians (18%) will be 65 years or older.

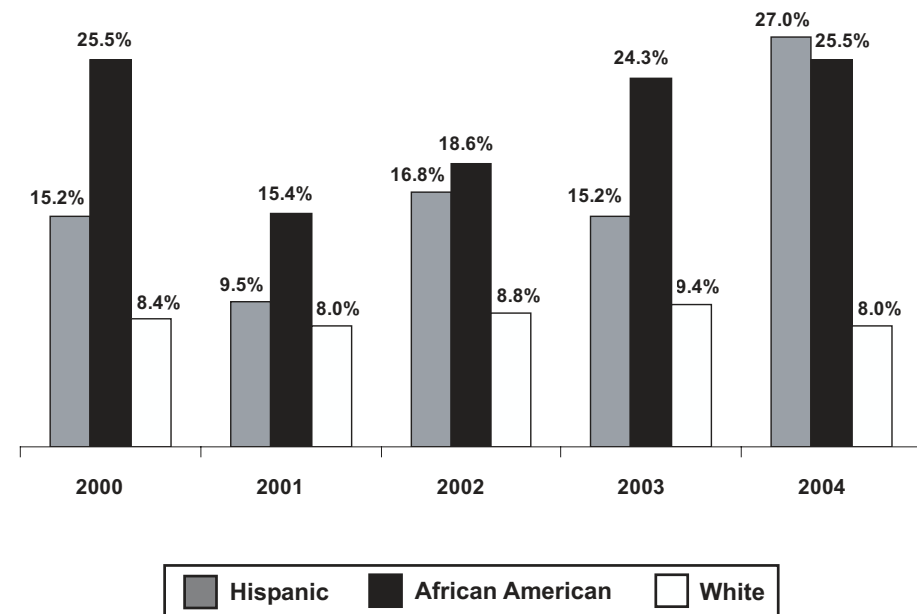
Based on census data, the racial composition of the senior population was relatively stable from 1990 to 2004. The changes that did occur were small, but consistent with trends observed in the total population. African Americans are underrepresented among seniors (about 11.8 percent of the total population, but only 7.3 percent of age 65 and older in 2004) because of their higher death rates at younger ages. The percentage of white seniors was approximately 92.7 percent in 1990 and steadily decreased to 91.7 percent in 2004. The Hispanic senior population has increased from 0.4 percent in 1990 to 0.8 percent in 2004. This trend is expected to accelerate as the percentage of Hispanics and seniors in Missouri continues to grow.

Socioeconomic Disparities

The data show significant racial and ethnic economic disparities among Missouri seniors. As seen in Figure 1, African American and Hispanic seniors were two to three times more likely to be living in poverty than white seniors. Moreover, the percentage of Hispanic and African American seniors in poverty appears to have increased since 2001 while the percentage for whites has remained relatively stable.¹ By 2004, over one-fourth of Hispanics and African Americans age 65 and older were living in poverty.

Seniors in poverty are less likely to receive needed health care and more likely to miss medications because they cannot afford them. Without adequate health care, seniors often experience serious complications because undiagnosed and untreated conditions worsen, further reinforcing existing health disparities. Elderly individuals in poverty experience greater disability,² faster decline in mental capabilities,³ and more limitations in the performance of daily life activities.⁴

Figure 1. Percent of Missourians Age 65 and Older Below Poverty by Race and Ethnicity, 2000-2004

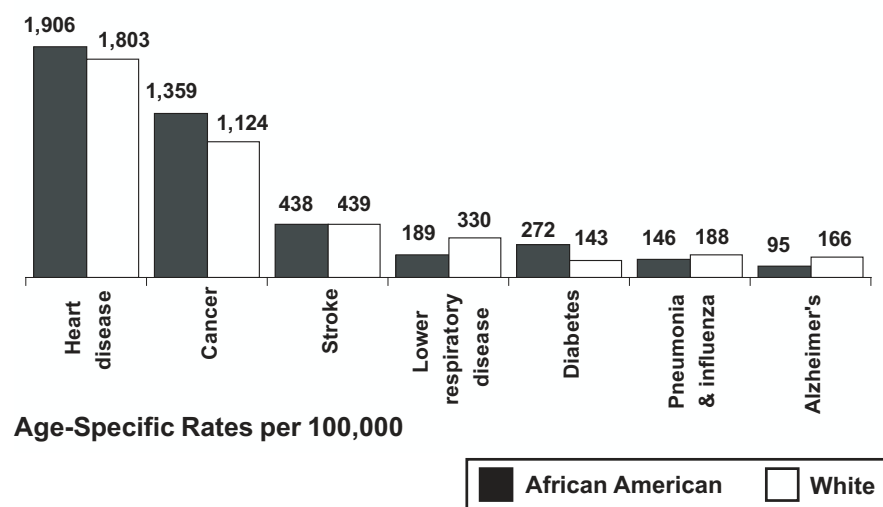


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Health Disparities

Death rates are a fundamental measure of racial disparity in health status. From 2000 to 2004 the overall death rate for African American Missourians ages 65-74 was nearly 40 percent higher than for whites, and it was 20 percent higher for ages 75-84. It is only at age 85 and older that death rates were nearly equal.⁵ The differences were not evenly distributed across the causes of death. Indeed, there are some causes for which the white death rate is higher. Figure 2 presents death rates for the seven leading causes of death for Missouri seniors from 2000 through 2004. The rates shown here tend to underestimate the disparity because they are based on aggregated rates for all seniors age 65 and older. African American seniors are more likely to be in the younger end of the age range.

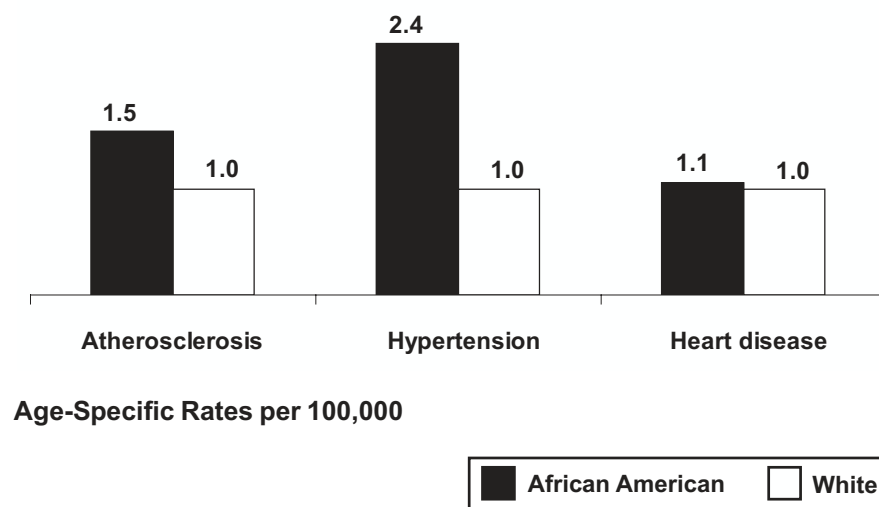
Figure 2. Leading Causes of Death by Race: Missourians Age 65 and Older, 2000-2004



African American seniors were nearly twice as likely to die from diabetes, 20 percent more likely to die from cancer and six percent more likely to die from heart disease than white seniors.⁶ Conversely, white seniors were more likely to die from respiratory disease and Alzheimer's disease than African Americans.

Figure 3 presents the disparities ratio between African American and white seniors for types of cardiovascular diseases. Although the two groups experienced similar rates of heart disease, African American Missourians 65 and older were over 50 percent more likely to die from atherosclerosis and 140 percent more likely to die from hypertension.⁷

Figure 3. Disparity Ratios for Cardiovascular Disease - Related Deaths by Race: Missourians Age 65 and Older, 2000-2004



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Figure 4 presents death rates by race for the five leading cancer causes of death for Missourians 65 and older. For each cancer, the death rate is higher for African American seniors than for their white counterparts.⁸ The highest disparity was found for prostate cancer. African American men were over ninety percent more likely to die than white men.

The death rate for Hispanic seniors in Missouri is significantly lower than for their non-Hispanic counterparts. This is true for heart disease, cancer, stroke, respiratory diseases, and Alzheimer's disease, as well as for the total death rate (see Figure 5).⁹ These favorable ratios could partially reflect bias in the data. Hispanic death rates in the United States can be understated due to greater likelihood of Hispanic ethnicity being reported on the Census than on death certificates.¹⁰ Also, like African American seniors, Hispanic seniors are more likely to be at the younger end of the 65-and-over age span than their non-Hispanic counterparts which may partially explain the improved rates.



Figure 4. Top Five Death Rates for Cancer by Race: Missourians Age 65 and Older, 2000-2004

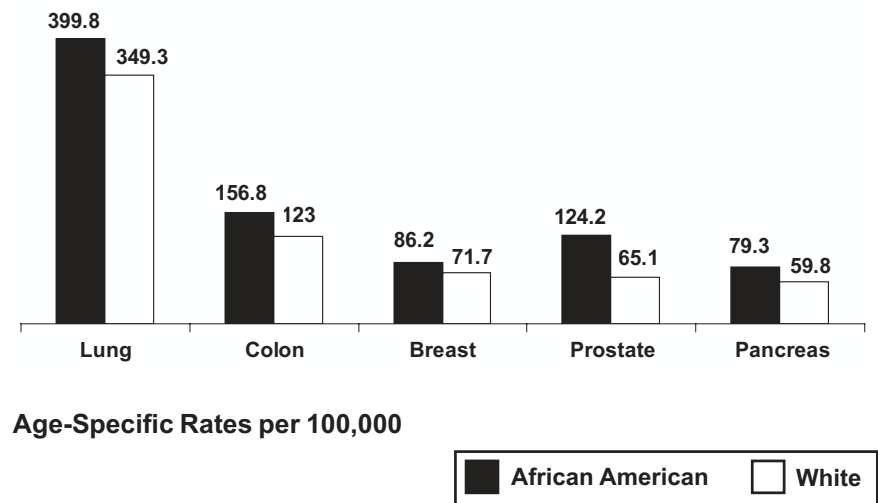
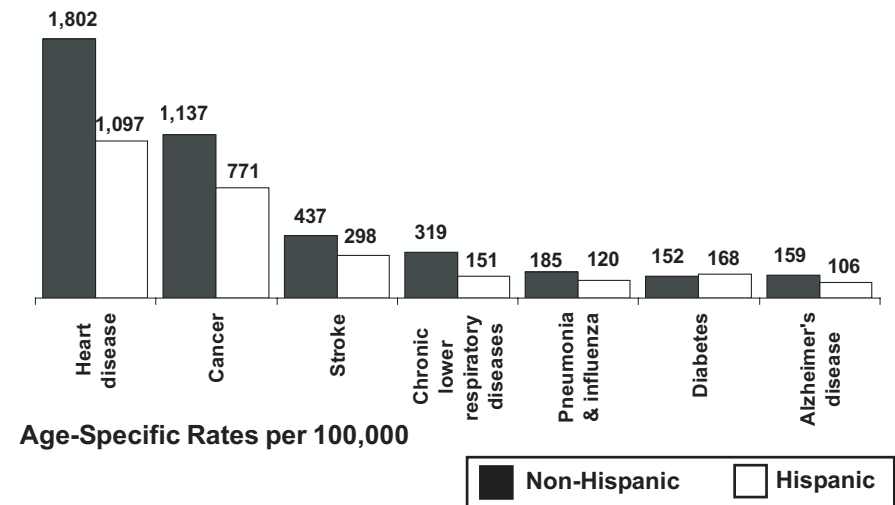


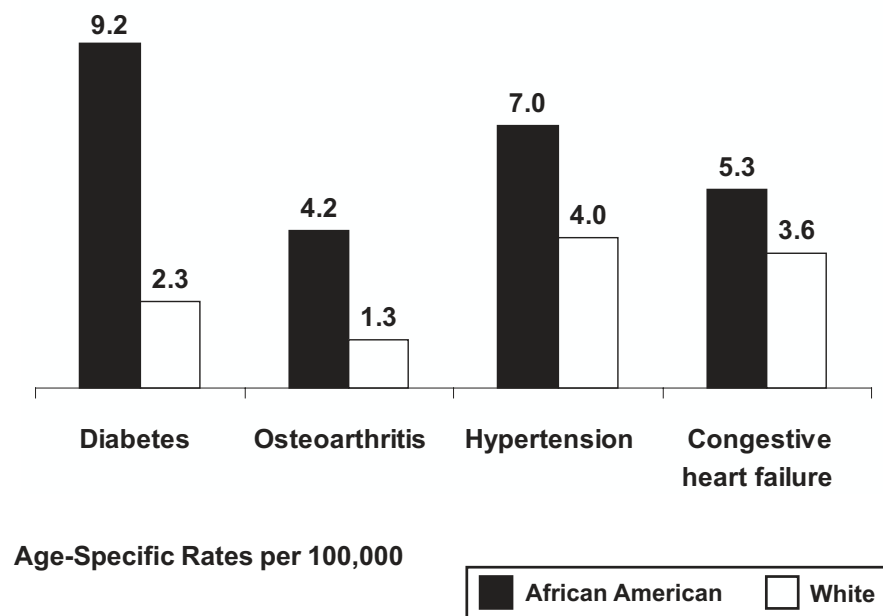
Figure 5. Select Death Rates by Ethnicity: Missourians Age 65 and Older, 2000-2004



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There were many racial disparities found in emergency room (ER) usage for certain conditions. African American seniors in Missouri were four times more likely to be treated for diabetes, over three times more likely to be treated for osteoarthritis, and about one-and-a-half times more likely to be seen for hypertension and congestive heart failure in the ER than white seniors¹¹ (see Figure 6). Many factors could explain the racial disparities in ER usage, including a lack of access to primary care and prevention services. Early access to care can increase early detection and improves management for these conditions reducing ER utilization. See Figure 6.

**Figure 6. Select Emergency Room Utilization Rates by Race:
Missourians Age 65 and Older, 2000-2004**



Data Limitations

The estimated Hispanic population age 65 and older in many Missouri counties has been and remains relatively small. Although some data suggest disparities, due to the variability of small numbers they do not allow for a truly accurate picture to be drawn. As this population continues to grow and additional years of data are collected, data may soon be able to be aggregated across years to provide statistical analysis of potential differences.

Similarly, data are reported by Hispanic versus non-Hispanic populations. No information is reported by ethnic subgroups such as Mexican, Puerto Rican or Cuban because of population limitations and rules of confidentiality. As the minority population age 65 and older in Missouri grows, we may soon be able to achieve sufficient numbers to explore more accurately the similarities and differences among ethnic and racial subgroups. Since these subgroups are often very culturally and politically diverse, a better understanding would allow for the design of more targeted and effective interventions.

Implications

Racial and socioeconomic health disparities have substantial implications for Missouri communities and their senior population. Healthy seniors contribute to the community in their daily activities. In addition to buying products and services, many seniors hold part-time jobs and volunteer valuable time to community organizations. The implications of a debilitating illness or condition for individual seniors and their families are significant. Quality of life is greatly reduced, limiting social and economic opportunities. Limitations in performance of daily activities reduce independence and elicit psychological distress, which further contribute to physical and mental deterioration.

Communities of color tend to have less political capital and fewer economic resources, thereby further perpetuating racial and ethnic health disparities. Resources need to be made available to allow minority and other communities to identify problems contributing to local disparities and design effective interventions to achieve health equity. At the same time, local communities

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are encouraged to take a closer look at their social and health service networks to assure that adequate services, such as housing, food, transportation, and health care, are available to all community members. Outreach and education campaigns designed to inform Missouri seniors about state and community services need to include culturally appropriate images and messages that appeal to the growing diversity of Missouri's senior population.

Challenges

Research examining racial, ethnic, and socioeconomic health disparities in Missouri is limited. A comprehensive literature search revealed 129 published studies that have examined some aspect of racial and ethnic disparities in at least some region of Missouri. However, none has focused specifically on disparities among the senior population. One study did recommend that health programs to eliminate disparities need to focus on seniors,¹² however, this study was largely focused on economic disparities and did not examine the role race and ethnicity play in the health of seniors.

More comprehensive research is needed. Specifically, research focusing on the identification of the underlying causes and testing potential interventions to eliminate these disparities among Missouri's seniors is crucial. The demand for this type of research will grow as both the minority population and the senior population of Missouri are projected to increase dramatically in coming decades.

Best Practices

Missouri seniors would benefit from a program to educate providers in delivering culturally competent health services to racial and ethnic minorities.¹³ One approach to reducing disparities is intensified recruiting efforts of a diverse health care workforce reflective of the state's racial and ethnic composition.¹⁴ Disparities can also be reduced by understanding and improving health literacy among seniors.¹⁵ Finally, health outreach programs for minority populations, such as training African American hair salon professionals to talk to their clients about senior health issues,¹⁶ have proved successful in other communities. None of these recommended programs represents a single solution to eliminating health disparities, but in combina-

tion, these programs can help Missouri move closer to achieving health equity for all seniors.



Mental Health and Seniors

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Mental illness and its consequences are major concerns in Missouri because of their impact on individuals and communities. Mental disorders are recognized as having adverse effects on quality of life,¹ increasing overall levels of disability,² and are among the most expensive medical conditions.³ Depression is one of the most common and debilitating mental illnesses; yet it is under- or misdiagnosed and often goes untreated in older adults, having a huge impact on individuals, families, and society. In fact, the direct and indirect costs of depression on society have been estimated at \$77 billion, of which 31 percent is direct treatment cost and 52 percent is indirect cost related to lost productivity and excess absenteeism at work.⁴ Additionally, informal care of older adults with depression is estimated at \$9 billion.⁵

Background

Clinically significant depression is defined by three subcategories: (1) major depressive disorder, (2) dysthymia, and (3) subthreshold depression. The hallmark symptoms of depression are low mood, feelings of worthlessness, difficulty concentrating, and changes in sleep and appetite,⁶ with many older adults presenting physical symptoms.⁷ In a recent study examining community long-term care in Missouri, it was found that 6 percent of older adults have major depression and 19 percent have subthreshold depression, of which 40% were persistently depressed over one year.⁸ Older adults in long-term care facilities have drastically higher depression rates with 35 percent experiencing clinically significant depression and 12 percent major depressive disorder. Clinically significant depression in older adults results in greater risk of suicide,⁹ poorer outcomes on medical conditions, such as diabetes and heart disease,¹⁰ as well as an overall shortened lifespan¹¹ and increased mortality rates.¹²

Treatment

Studies and expert recommendations suggest that drug therapy and counseling are effective with this population.¹³ The use of antidepressants poses unique challenges given that older adults often take more medications and have comorbid medical conditions, causing increased risk of drug-drug¹⁴ and drug-disease interactions.¹⁵ Physical changes in older adults (e.g., decreased liver function) can alter drug efficacy by affecting how a drug is utilized by the body.¹⁴ Treatment compliance is an issue for older adults taking antidepressants, especially for those with physical or cognitive impairments.¹⁴ Side effects of antidepressants, such as nausea, loss of appetite, and sexual dysfunction, also influence compliance. Even with these complications, more than half of older adults treated with antidepressants experience at least a 50 percent reduction in depressive symptoms.¹⁶

Several models of effective individual and group therapies are recommended for depressed older adults,¹⁷ with Behavioral Therapy (BT) and Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT) receiving the most research attention.¹⁸ The efficacy of BT and CBT suggests that they are viable options for treating older adults with depression.²⁰ Other therapies that have been recommended for late-life depression include problem-solving, interpersonal, reminiscence/life review, and brief psychodynamic interventions.²⁰ In a review of treatment options, it was concluded that there is not yet adequate research evidence to prove which approach is best.¹⁹ Experts do agree that treating older adults with a combination of antidepressants and counseling can minimize relapse and decrease disability.^{13 20} Electroconvulsive Therapy (ECT) is used as a last resort to treat older adults with depression when combinations of antidepressants and psychotherapies have failed.

Since many older adults avoid drug therapy or counseling, a shift to incorporating treatment for depression into non-mental health settings has emerged. Disease management programs, based on the model used with physical ailments like heart disease and diabetes, provide screening and standardized follow-up through a team approach, and support patient decision-making and self-management.²⁰ Literature reviews support the effectiveness of disease management programs for adults²⁰, and more recently, older adults.²¹

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Barriers

Studies found that 75 percent of depressed older adults in the community and 80 percent of nursing home residents do not receive appropriate mental health treatment^{22 23} due, in part, to the barriers older adults encounter in seeking care. Medicare covers only 50 percent of the cost of mental health care compared to 80 percent for other services,²⁴ forcing Medicare enrollees to pay high out-of-pocket costs or forego treatment. Stigma also prevents people from seeking needed mental health services, particularly in underserved and rural communities.²⁵ Older adults with a history of being underserved and discriminated against are more likely to distrust the healthcare system and seek mental health services in less formal settings, such as religious organizations.²⁶ Lack of transportation also decreases access to treatment, particularly in rural areas.²⁷ Additionally, the complexity of the mental health care system can feel like a “maze” and navigating it results in less service usage.²⁸

Professionals also face barriers in providing mental health treatment. While primary care physicians encounter depressed older adults, only 55 percent feel comfortable with diagnosing depression and 35 percent with prescribing anti-depressant medication.²⁹ Depression often coincides with medical illnesses that are given priority over mental health issues. In the course of treatment, depression is often mistaken as normal aging or simply physical complaints.³⁰ Specialists trained in issues and diseases specific to older adults, such as geriatricians and geropsychiatrists, are in short supply.⁷ There are only 124 certified geriatricians in Missouri, or 3.4 for every 10,000 adults over the age of 75. This compares to the national average of 4.2 per 10,000.³¹ The statistics are similarly bleak for geropsychiatrists of which there are 46 in Missouri, or 1.3 for every 10,000 Missourians over age 75.³² Medical professionals are not attracted to this field because their earning potential is proportionately less than most doctors due to the Medicare reimbursement structure.^{33 34} Rural areas of Missouri particularly lack mental health care providers with 94 of the 114 counties in Missouri cited as Mental Health Professional Shortage Areas.²⁶

Future Directions

In 2006, the National Association on Mental Illness gave Missouri an overall grade of C- in mental health care for its citizens. Missouri spends only \$67.30 per capita for mental health and ranks 31st in the nation.³⁵ Older adults in Missouri have the right to receive optimal, affordable, evidence-based mental health care. The following are options to explore to transform mental health care in Missouri:

- Continue to work toward goals of the President’s New Freedom Commission on Mental Health.²⁸
- Work toward goal of 2005 White House Conference on Aging: “improve recognition, assessment, and treatment of mental illness and depression among older adults.”²⁸
- Remove existing regulatory barriers and change reimbursement policies of Medicare and Medicaid to encourage better collaboration and mental health parity.³⁶
- Fund research to improve understanding of treatment efficacy and access to care.
- Monitor the effects Medicare Part D has on cost and access to psychotropic medications.
- Invest in Missouri-specific data on mental illness in older adults.

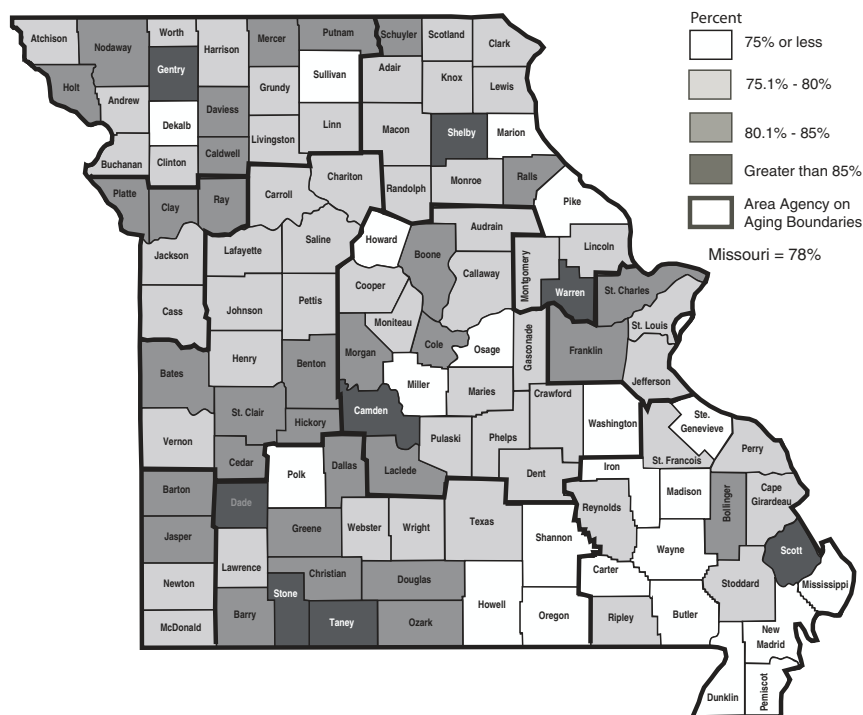
The growing number of older Americans will only magnify the existing problems with access to care for those facing late-life depression. While treatment is effective, disability, decreased quality of life, demands on caregivers, and differential reimbursement policies persist. Partnerships among researchers, clinicians, governmental agencies, third party payers, patients, and families are essential to overcome these barriers.

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As the senior population in Missouri grows, transportation is emerging as an important health, safety and quality of life policy issue. Currently, 586,000 (87%) of Missouri seniors hold valid drivers licenses. This leaves approximately 1 in 10 seniors dependent on friends, family and public transportation to make vital trips to the grocery store, to medical appointments, or to visit friends and family. Of Missouri seniors who hold drivers licenses, 67 percent live in urban counties, and 33 percent live in rural areas.¹

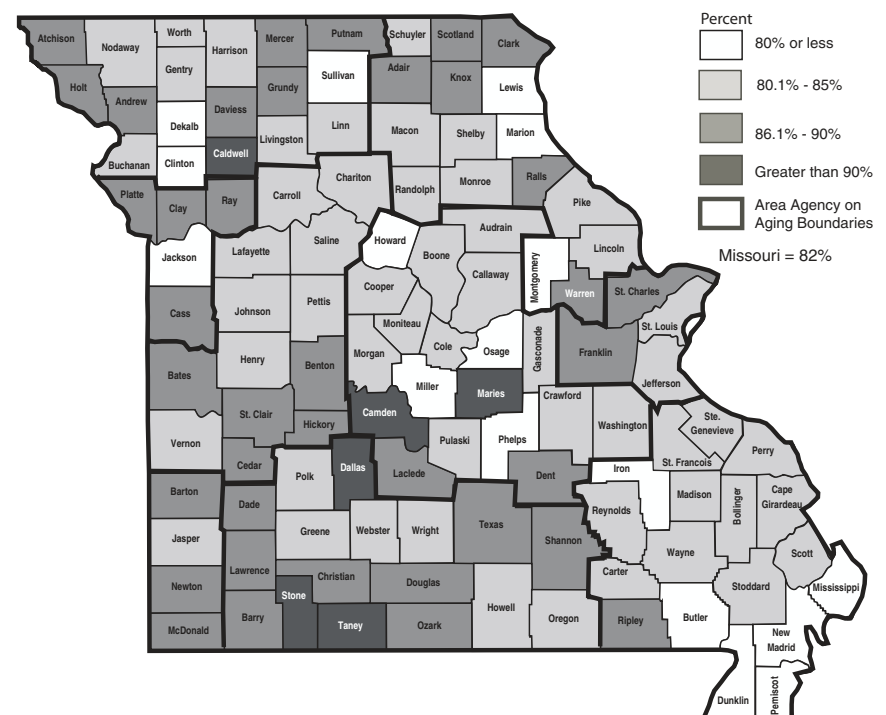
Proportion of Persons 65 and Older with a Driver's License, 2001



Source: Missouri Department of Revenue; 4/06

As seniors age from their 60s into their 70s and 80s, the proportion maintaining licenses decreases. Eighty-seven percent of young seniors (65-74) have valid drivers licenses compared to seniors aged 75-84 (77%) or 85 and older (43%). Of those who remain licensed, it is difficult to know exactly how many actively drive compared to those who maintain a license as a convenient form of identification. Anecdotally, we know that not all senior citizens with driver's licenses have personal automobiles, and we know that in some cases, seniors choose not to drive due to a variety of reasons including physical abilities, road conditions, traffic and weather.

Proportion of Persons 65 and Older with a Driver's License, 2005



Source: Missouri Department of Revenue; 4/06

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Transportation Options for Missouri Seniors

Missouri maintains a network of public transportation resources for seniors, the most vital located in the larger metropolitan areas. St. Louis City and County have a comprehensive public transit system, which offers special services to meet seniors' needs as does Kansas City and its surrounding communities. Several smaller cities (Columbia, Jefferson City, Springfield, Joplin and St. Joseph) and rural municipalities (Bloomfield, Cape Girardeau, Carthage, Chillicothe, Clinton, El Dorado Springs, Excelsior Springs, Houston, Lamar, Marshall, Marshfield, Mt. Vernon, Nevada, New Madrid and West Plains) also provide transportation for seniors and people with disabilities.²

Rural regions of Missouri rely most heavily on three statewide transportation programs: Older Adults Transportation Service (OATS), Southeast Missouri Transportation Service (SMTS) and Missouri Elderly and Handicapped Transportation Assistance Program (MEHTAP). OATS, which specializes in services to seniors and the disabled, serves 87 Missouri counties and offers door-to-door transportation to the general public. SMTS serves the southeast part of the state in areas without OATS services. MEHTAP is a statewide program, which funds approximately 200 non-profit transportation providers. These providers also specialize in transportation services for seniors and people with disabilities. Single county, MEHTAP-supported transit systems serve seniors in the Bootheel counties as well as Ray and Callaway counties. Thus, all counties in Missouri have some public transportation.³

Seniors and Those Who Serve Seniors Voice Their Concerns

In 2005, the Area Agencies on Aging, Department of Health and Senior Services and the University of Missouri Office of Social and Economic Data Analysis hosted 47 town hall meetings across the state attended by approximately 500 participants. In these meetings, participants were asked to discuss important issues for Missouri's senior population. Transportation emerged as one of the most pressing concerns for Missouri's seniors. Participants described transportation challenges more than 400 times during these meetings. While participants generally praised the quality and reiterated the necessity of

maintaining existing services, they also suggested the need for additional services to support seniors, particularly in rural areas, in their vital daily activities. Participants emphasized that seniors who are socially engaged and capable of meeting their daily needs are healthier and more independent than seniors who are isolated or who cannot meet these needs. Participants recognized that transportation, whether public or private, is key to keeping seniors socially engaged, yet transportation policy and services are not always designed with due consideration of seniors.

Senior Transportation Research

Missourians' concerns, as expressed in the town hall meetings, are reflected in national research on the topic of transportation for seniors. Results from the 2001 National Household Transportation Survey show that almost 90 percent of all trips by seniors in the United States are made in vehicles compared to only 1.3 percent on fixed-route transit services. (This would not include OATS, SMTS, and MEHTAP, which provide personalized door-to-door services on request.) The same study suggests the fixed-route transit services are less appropriate for the senior population than working adults and school-aged youth because seniors tend to travel during off-peak commuter times when fixed-route transit tends to have fewer services. Fixed-route transit systems may not be accessible for seniors for several reasons. Bus stops, for instance, may not provide adequate protection from the elements, and seniors are more vulnerable to illness by excessive cold or heat. Information about routes and travel times may not be clear or formatted in a manner easily understandable to seniors. Signage may not be clear or may not have writing large enough for use by visually-impaired seniors, and buses may not be equipped with seating and mounting and dismounting features that are designed for seniors with limited mobility.⁴

Public safety is one of the greatest concerns for seniors who drive. A study by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration shows that seniors aged 70 and older accounted for 13 percent of traffic fatalities in 2000 and 17 percent of pedestrian fatalities, but only accounted for 9 percent of the overall US population. This same study shows that the driver fatality rate for people 85 years of age and older is nine times higher than the rate for drivers

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between the ages of 25 and 69 when calculated in terms of the estimated annual travel.⁵

Statewide accident statistics show that 13,824 senior drivers were involved in traffic accidents on Missouri roads in 2004. This accounts for 8.5 percent of all traffic accidents that occurred that year. Ten percent or 124 of all fatal traffic accidents involved drivers over 65 years of age. It is worth noting that 77 percent of all fatal traffic accidents in Missouri occurred in rural areas in 2004. This is particularly significant for the senior population, which has fewer public transportation options in rural areas.⁶

Innovative Ideas and Programs

The Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) has been active in addressing issues for senior drivers. Some very simple actions can have significant and positive impact on safe driving such as painting wider highway lines, advance intersection warning signs and wrong-way markings on freeway ramps. Additionally, the Highway Safety Division of MoDOT focuses on improving roadway safety by changing driver behavior. Highway Safety is in the process of developing an older driver campaign that will include fact sheets, posters, billboards, and public service announcements targeting the older driver. The campaign will feature driving tips to keep seniors safely mobile.

The Missouri health care system is another source of innovation. For example, the Northeast Missouri Rural Health Network has initiated a program called CareLink. CareLink provides free transportation in an eleven county service area to residents of all ages for medical and social service appointments. Some rural health care facilities provide transportation or vouchers to pay for their senior patient's public transportation .

As the population continues to age in Missouri and nationwide, transportation will remain a high priority issue in terms of health, safety and quality of life.



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How to Use Your Missouri Senior Report

What is an outcome indicator?

An outcome indicator represents an issue important to the overall well-being of seniors in your community.

What is an outcome measure?

An outcome measure is the specific item that indicates how well seniors are doing in regard to an issue. Measures were selected based upon the availability over time and the reliability of the data.

What is a status indicator?

The status indicators describe the characteristics of the senior population in a county at a single point in time. The status indicators provide context for understanding and prioritizing the outcome indicators.

What is an index?

An index is a tool that combines more than one measure into a single value by converting different units of measurement into a standard unit of measure. An index is used to describe an indicator when single measures are unavailable.

How do I interpret the county rank for an outcome indicator?

The county rank for an outcome indicator represents the relative position of a county in the context of all 115 Missouri counties with '1' indicating the most positive finding.

How do I interpret the composite rank?

The composite county rank is a ranked index of the sum of the standardized outcome measures and represents the relative position of a county in the context of all 115 Missouri counties with '1' indicating the highest overall score.

How do I interpret the trend arrow?

The trend arrow indicates the direction of the indicator in a county over time. An arrow pointing upwards signals an improvement for seniors for that indicator. Conversely, an arrow pointing downward signifies a decline, while a horizontal arrow indicates that no change has occurred between the base and current years. A dash in the trend column indicates that the time element associated with that outcome measure is not sufficiently reliable to report change.

Glossary of Outcome Indicators

Household Composition

Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns

By measuring the percent of persons age 65 or older that filed Missouri joint income tax returns in a county, we can infer the percent of Seniors living alone. *Source: Division of Taxation and Collection, Missouri Department of Revenue*

Economic Well-being

Supplemental Security Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income

Supplemental security income (SSI) payments are income-based benefits available to Seniors. In 2005, the SSI benefit for an individual who lives alone and has no other income is \$579 a month, or 73 percent of the poverty line. People with countable assets of more than \$2,000 for an individual and \$3,000 for a couple are ineligible for SSI. *Source: Research and Evaluation, Missouri Department of Social Services*

Workforce Participation

Percent of Seniors Working for Pay

The percent of persons aged 65 or over in a county working for wages as calculated by averaging the number of persons 65+ working for wages during each quarter of 2005. *Source: The Longitudinal Employer –Households Dynamic Program, Missouri Economic Research and Information Center, Missouri Department of Economic Development*

Transportation

Proportion of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License

The percent of seniors with a valid Missouri driver's license. *Source: Division of Motor Vehicle and Drivers Licensing, Missouri Department of Revenue*

Health Status

Hospitalization & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors

The number of hospital and emergency room visits made per 10,000 seniors regarding diabetes and issues associated with diabetes. *Source: Data, Surveillance Systems, and Statistical Reports, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services*

Health Care Access

Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors

The number of full time equivalent (FTE) primary care physician positions per 1,000 seniors. *Source: Department of Health Management and Informatics, University of Missouri*

Long-Term Care

Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita

Average Medicaid dollars per person spent on in-home and residential long-term care services. *Source: Section for Long-Term Care, Division of Regulation and Licensure, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services*

Crime

Property and Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons

The number of property and violent crimes per 1,000 persons. *Source: The Missouri Statistical Analysis Center, Missouri Department of Highway Patrol, Missouri Department of Public Safety*

Senior Participation

Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors

Index of participation in Area Agencies on Aging congregate meal program, voter registration and voter participation in the past calendar year. *Sources: Missouri Area Agencies on Aging, Missouri Secretary of State, Boone County, County Clerk*

Glossary of Status Indicators

Demographics

Total Population

Measures the total population for the years of 2000, 2005, 2010 and 2020. *Source: Table 2a. Projected Population of the United States, by Age and Sex: 2000 to 2050., "U.S. Interim Projections by Age, Sex, Race, and Hispanic Origin," U.S. Census Bureau, 2005*

Change in Total Population

A measure of the change in population between 2000 and 2005. *Source: Table 2a. Projected Population of the United States, by Age and Sex: 2000 to 2050., "U.S. Interim Projections by Age, Sex, Race, and Hispanic Origin," U.S. Census Bureau, 2005*

Population 65+

Measure of the total population that is 65 years old or older adjusted for the St. Louis City accepted challenge to the 2005 estimates. *Source: Table 1, Annual Estimates of the Population by Sex and Five-Year Age Groups for the United States: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2005. Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau*

Percent of Population 65+

Measure of the percent of the total population that is 65 years old or older adjusted for the St. Louis City accepted challenge to the 2005 estimates. *Source: Table 1, Annual Estimates of the Population by Sex and Five-Year Age Groups for the United States: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2005. Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau*

Population Projections 65+

A measure of both the total, male and female population that is 65 years old or older for the years of 2010 and 2020. *Source: Population projections are produced by OSEDA by using 2004 NCHS estimates for demographic cohorts. Cohort-survival ratios by race and sex were calculated as five year intervals using 1990 and 2000 census data as well as 2001-2004 estimates, including an adjustment for St. Louis City's accepted challenged of the 2004 estimates.*

Quality of Life

Seniors in Owner-Occupied Housing

The percent of persons 65 years old and older living in owner-occupied housing.

Seniors Living in Families

The percent of persons 65 years old and older living in families.

Median Value of Owner-Occupied Housing

A measure of the median value, in dollars, of owner-occupied housing for persons 65 years old and older.

Seniors in Poverty

A measure of the percent of persons 65 years old and older who are living in poverty.

Average Income of Senior Households

A measure of the annual average household income, in dollars, for persons 65 years old and older.

Seniors with a College Education

A measure of the percent of persons 65 years old and older with a college degree or higher.

Source: Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF 3) - Sample Data. U.S. Bureau of the Census

Glossary of Status Indicators

Health and Wellness

No Exercise

A measure of the percent of seniors who responded that they had not performed some sort of non-work related exercise during the past month.

No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy

A measure of the percent of seniors who responded that they have not had a screening test for colon cancer (sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy) in the past 10 years.

High Blood Pressure

A measure of the percent of seniors who have been told they have high blood pressure by a doctor, nurse, or other health professional.

Obesity

A measure of the percent of seniors who have a body mass index greater than 25.00 (Overweight or Obese).

Smoking

A measure of the percent of seniors who are current smokers.

No Mammography

A measure of the percent of senior females who have not had a mammogram in the past year.

High Cholesterol

A measure of the percent of seniors who have had their cholesterol checked and have been told by a doctor, nurse, or other health professional that it was high.

Source: Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS), Data, Surveillance Systems and Statistical Reports. Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services. BRFSS data are reported as sub-state regional estimates disaggregated by age.

Resources

AARP

<http://www.aarp.org/>

Missouri state office:

700 West 47th St., Suite 110

Kansas City, MO 64112-1805

Phone: (Toll-Free) 866-389-5627

Fax: 816-561-3107

Adult Protective Services

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/ProtectiveServices/>

Provides protective oversight to people who are unable to manage their own affairs, carry out activities of daily living, or protect themselves from abuse, neglect, or exploitation.

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

Division of Senior and Disability Services

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102

Phone: (Toll-Free) 800-235-5503

Community Connection

<http://www.communityconnection.org/>

A statewide database of community and aging resources.

Community Connection

602 Clark Hall

Columbia, MO 65211

Phone: (Toll-Free) 888-463-6221 (for non-Columbia residents)

573-884-3554 (for Columbia residents)

Community Development

The Department of Health and Senior Services Community Development Unit and the University of Missouri Extension partner to provide assistance to communities interested in developing a community plan that will address issues identified in the Missouri Senior Report.

Community Development Unit

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

573-751-6168

Elder Abuse and Neglect Hotline, 800-392-0210 (Toll-Free)

TDD 800-669-8819 or Relay Missouri 800-676-3777

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/ElderAbuse/>

The hotline responds to reports of alleged abuse, neglect or financial exploitation of Missourians at least 60 years old and other eligible adults between 18 and 59.

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

Division of Senior and Disability Services

Elder Abuse and Neglect Hotline

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

Phone: 573-751-4842

Employee Disqualification List

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/EDL/>

Lists individuals who have abused, neglected or misappropriated funds of a resident, patient, or client while employed in a Missouri nursing home, hospital, home health agency, or ambulatory surgical center.

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

Employee Disqualification List

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

Phone: 573-526-8544 or 573-522-2449

Resources

Governor's Advisory Council on Aging

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/GovAdvisoryCouncil/>

Provides advice to Missouri's governor to enhance the quality of life, independence and dignity of older Missourians.

Governor's Advisory Council on Aging

Division of Senior and Disability Services

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

Phone: 573-526-8534

Home and Community Services, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/HomeComServices/>

Provides support services to help ill or disabled older Missourians remain in their own homes and avoid or delay institutionalization.

Division of Senior and Disability Services

Home and Community Services Field Operations

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

Phone: 573-526-8537



Medicare

<http://www.medicare.gov/>

Medicare beneficiaries can view their claim status (excluding Medicare Part D claims); order a duplicate Medicare Summary Notice or replacement Medicare card; view eligibility and entitlement information; view enrollment information for Medicare Part D prescription drug plans and Part B deductible status.

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

7500 Security Blvd.

Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

Phone: (Toll-Free) 800-MEDICARE for general information

TTY for Hearing Impaired: (Toll-Free) 877-486-2048

To report Medicare fraud & abuse: (Toll-Free) 800-447-8477

Missouri Alliance of Area Agencies on Aging

<http://www.MoAging.com>

Ten Area Agencies on Aging develop and implement programs and services for older Missourians at the local level.

Missouri Alliance of Area Agencies on Aging (MA4)

1121 Business Loop 70 East

Columbia, MO 65201

Missouri Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division

<http://www.ago.mo.gov/divisions/consumerprotection.htm>

Protects Missourians from telephone fraud; car repair, sales disputes and rip offs; telemarketing, Internet and e-mail scams; home repair rip offs; travel scams; and banking and credit card fraud.

Missouri Attorney General's Office

Supreme Court Building

207 W. High St.

PO Box 899

Jefferson City, MO 65102

Consumer Protection Hotline: (Toll-Free) 800-392-8222

Resources

Missouri Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/Ombudsman/>

Ombudsmen investigate and resolve complaints for residents in nursing homes and other long-term care settings.

State Office of Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

Phone: (Toll-Free) 800-309-3282

MOSAFE – Missourians Stopping Adult Financial Exploitation

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/MOSAFE/index.html>

Financial exploitation of the elderly and disabled is a crime and destroys thousands of Missouri lives. MOSAFE was launched to help stop it.

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

MOSAFE

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102

Phone: (Toll-Free) 800-235-5503

National Family Caregiver Support Program (NFCSP)

http://www.aoa.gov/prof/aoaprof/caregiver/overview/overview_caregiver.asp

Department of Health and Human Services

Administration on Aging (AoA)

Washington, DC 20201

Phone: 202-619-0724

Show Me Long-Term Care

<http://www.dhss.mo.gov/showmelongtermcare/>

You can find out how any licensed Missouri long-term care facility did on its last inspection.

Section for Long Term Care

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

PO Box 570

Jefferson City, MO 65102-0570

Phone: 573-526-8524

Social Security Administration

<http://www.ssa.gov/>

Pays retirement, disability and survivor benefits to workers and their families and issues Social Security cards. For information about the Social Security office that serves your area, go to: <https://s044a90.ssa.gov/>

Phone: (Toll-Free) 800-772-1213

(Toll-Free) TTY for Hearing Impaired: 800-325-0778

A more extensive list of resources may be found at www.missouriseniorreport.org or on the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services' Web site at www.dhss.mo.gov.

Missouri

Population 65+, 2005

MO: **784,467**

US: **36,790,113**

Percent Change 65+ Population, 2000-2005

MO: **3.8%**

US: **3.9%**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend
Household Composition			
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	44.8%	▼
	2004	44.3%	
Economic Well-being			
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.33%	↔
	2003	0.33%	
Workforce Participation			
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	9.8%	▲
	2004	10.9%	
Transportation			
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	76.7%	▲
	2005	79.6%	
Health Status *			
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	68.3	▼
	2003	71.1	
Health Care Access			
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	5.1	▲
	2004	5.5	
Long Term Care **			
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$122	▼
	2005	\$147	
Crime			
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	48.8	▲
	2005	43.9	
Senior Participation			
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-
	2005	42.4%	

Status Indicators

	MO Measure	US Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000	5,606,246
	Total Population, 2005	5,800,310
	Percent Change Total Population, 2000-2005	3.3%
	Population 65+, 2000	755,824
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000	13.5%
	Percent Female	59.3%
	Percent Male	40.7%
	Percent of Population 65+, 2005	9.6%
	Percent Female	58.0%
	Percent Male	42.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010	14.9%
	Percent Female	56.8%
	Percent Male	43.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020	18.2%
	Percent Female	55.1%
	Percent Male	44.9%
Quality of Life	Seniors in Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000	79.1%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000	61.3%
	Median Value of Own House, 2000	\$86,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000	9.9%
	Average Household Income of Seniors, 2000	\$37,822
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000	11.8%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005	34.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004	39.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005	54.8%
	Obesity, 2005	21.6%
	Smoking, 2005	9.2%
	No Mammography, 2004	28.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005	55.3%

* Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

**Not included in composite county rank

Adair

Population 65+, 2005: **2,948**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-3.6%**

Composite County Rank: **7**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	42.2%	▼	44.3%	82
	2004	40.7%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.47%	▼	0.33%	67
	2003	0.49%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	9.0%	▲	10.9%	11
	2004	11.9%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	80.6%	▲	79.6%	23
	2005	85.0%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	64.5	▼	71.1	58
	2003	65.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	10.8	▼	5.5	3
	2004	10.2			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$153	▼	\$147	52
	2005	\$188			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	31.6	▲	43.9	73
	2005	26.9			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	60
	2005	46.3%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	24,925
	Total Population, 2005
	24,509
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-416/-1.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,057
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	12.3%
	Percent Female
	61.2%
	Percent Male
	38.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	12.0%
	Percent Female
	59.9%
	Percent Male
	40.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	13.4%
	Percent Female
	58.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	16.8%
	Percent Female
	56.7%
	Percent Male
	43.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	55.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$73,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	12.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,776
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	15.6%
	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Andrew

Population 65+, 2005: **2,305**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-2.9%**

Composite County Rank: **53**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	38.2% 38.5%	▲	44.3%	92
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.14% 0.15%	▼	0.33%	9
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	4.6% 5.6%	▲	10.9%	98
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	76.8% 83.2%	▲	79.6%	42
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	33.8 50.0	▼	71.1	26
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	0.8 0.8	↔	5.5	111
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$151 \$191	▼	\$147	53
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	12.5 12.8	▼	43.9	21
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 48.1%	42.5%	41

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	16,536
	Total Population, 2005
	16,899
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	363/2.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,374
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.4%
	Percent Female
	58.8%
	Percent Male
	41.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.6%
	Percent Female
	57.8%
	Percent Male
	42.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	56.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.4%
	Percent Female
	51.6%
	Percent Male
	48.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	64.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$86,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	8.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,949
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	11.7%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Atchison

Population 65+, 2005: **1,286**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-4.5%**

Composite County Rank: **32**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	33.9% 33.5%	▼	44.3%	109
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.25% 0.28%	▼	0.33%	31
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.4% 9.1%	▲	10.9%	33
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.6% 81.5%	▲	79.6%	61
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	51.7 45.5	▲	71.1	19
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.4 2.8	▲	5.5	57
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$192 \$283	▼	\$147	88
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	6.4 5.3	▲	43.9	5
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 48.2%	42.5%	39

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	6,410
	Total Population, 2005
	6,246
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-164/-2.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,347
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	60.6%
	Percent Male
	39.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.6%
	Percent Female
	63.5%
	Percent Male
	36.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	19.4%
	Percent Female
	56.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	52.3%
	Percent Male
	47.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.0%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	57.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$51,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.4%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,710
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	9.6%
	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Audrain

Population 65+, 2005: **4,074**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-6.0%**

Composite County Rank: **36**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	40.6% 37.6%	▼	44.3%	96
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.31% 0.34%	▼	0.33%	45
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	13.5% 8.5%	▼	10.9%	49
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.0% 84.0%	▲	79.6%	35
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	117.3 72.9	▲	71.1	73
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	5.1 5.5	▲	5.5	14
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$136 \$171	▼	\$147	45
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	20.9 20.1	▲	43.9	55
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 46.1%	42.5%	63

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	25,802
	Total Population, 2005
	25,759
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-43/-0.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,332
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.8%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
	Percent Male
	41.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.8%
	Percent Female
	58.7%
	Percent Male
	41.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.9%
	Percent Female
	55.8%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.2%
	Percent Female
	53.6%
	Percent Male
	46.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	85.8%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$66,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	9.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,717
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.1%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Barry

Population 65+, 2005: **5,716**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **3.9%**

Composite County Rank: **21**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	47.8%	▼	44.3%	55
	2004	45.6%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.43%	▼	0.33%	63
	2003	0.45%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	7.7%	▲	10.9%	36
	2004	8.9%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	82.9%	▲	79.6%	26
	2005	84.9%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	43.2	▼	71.1	35
	2003	56.7			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.5	▲	5.5	26
	2004	4.1			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$131	▼	\$147	35
	2005	\$149			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	26.5	▼	43.9	85
	2005	31.5			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	32
	2005	49.4%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	34,057
	Total Population, 2005
	35,599
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,542/4.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,500
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	55.5%
	Percent Male
	44.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	54.3%
	Percent Male
	45.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.4%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.5%
	Percent Female
	53.7%
	Percent Male
	46.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	65.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$69,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	11.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,591
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	10.4%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Barton

Population 65+, 2005: **2,099**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **2.1%**

Composite County Rank: **38**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	45.7% 46.6%	▲	44.3%	50
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.39% 0.39%	↔	0.33%	53
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.8% 9.0%	▲	10.9%	34
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	83.3% 82.6%	▼	79.6%	47
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	79.3 67.4	▲	71.1	60
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.5 3.6	▲	5.5	38
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$103 \$129	▼	\$147	23
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	12.4 35.6	▼	43.9	96
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 47.0%	42.5%	53

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	12,552
	Total Population, 2005
	13,057
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	505/4.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,056
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.4%
	Percent Female
	57.9%
	Percent Male
	42.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	57.7%
	Percent Male
	42.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	57.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.5%
	Percent Female
	52.8%
	Percent Male
	47.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$58,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	16.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$26,182
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.9%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.5%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Bates

Population 65+, 2005: **2,773**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-3.6%**

Composite County Rank: **16**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	44.7%	▲	44.3%	60
	2004	44.9%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.35%	▼	0.33%	48
	2003	0.36%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	7.7%	▲	10.9%	47
	2004	8.6%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	81.4%	▲	79.6%	8
	2005	88.1%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	90.5	▲	71.1	68
	2003	70.6			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	1.5	▲	5.5	82
	2004	1.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$170	▼	\$147	75
	2005	\$233			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	25.2	▼	43.9	87
	2005	32.2			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	7
	2005	59.4%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	16,719
	Total Population, 2005
	17,027
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	308/1.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,877
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.2%
	Percent Female
	58.2%
	Percent Male
	41.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.3%
	Percent Female
	58.6%
	Percent Male
	41.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.3%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.7%
	Percent Female
	53.7%
	Percent Male
	46.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	60.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$65,700
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	14.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,507
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.4%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Benton

Population 65+, 2005: **4,439**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **15.7%**

Composite County Rank: **103**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	40.1% 37.9%	▼	44.3%	93
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.57% 0.55%	▲	0.33%	76
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	3.9% 4.4%	▲	10.9%	105
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	82.5% 83.6%	▲	79.6%	37
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	56.3 49.6	▲	71.1	25
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.0 2.2	▲	5.5	72
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$170 \$216	▼	\$147	67
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	20.8 27.7	▼	43.9	77
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 40.0%	42.5%	100

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	17,255
	Total Population, 2005
	18,854
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,599/9.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,836
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	22.2%
	Percent Female
	51.7%
	Percent Male
	48.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	23.5%
	Percent Female
	50.8%
	Percent Male
	49.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	25.7%
	Percent Female
	50.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	49.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	27.0%
	Percent Female
	53.4%
	Percent Male
	46.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	89.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	66.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$66,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	9.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,552
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.5%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.5%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Bollinger

Population 65+, 2005: **1,855**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.2%**

Composite County Rank: **66**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	53.2% 53.7%	▲	44.3%	8
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.67% 0.69%	▼	0.33%	89
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	4.2% 4.1%	▼	10.9%	108
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.3% 84.6%	▲	79.6%	28
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	106.3 59.9	▲	71.1	46
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	0.0 0.4	▲	5.5	115
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$139 \$200	▼	\$147	60
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	9.4 11.5	▼	43.9	19
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 42.0%	42.5%	90

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	12,065
	Total Population, 2005
	12,325
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	260/2.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,781
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.8%
	Percent Female
	55.1%
	Percent Male
	44.9%
	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
Quality of Life	15.1%
	Percent Female
	52.4%
	Percent Male
	47.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.9%
	Percent Female
	53.1%
	Percent Male
	46.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.9%
	Percent Female
	54.7%
	Percent Male
	45.3%
Health and Wellness	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.8%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	66.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$61,900
Health and Wellness	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	17.4%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$24,127
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
Health and Wellness	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
Health and Wellness	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Boone

Population 65+, 2005: **13,088**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **11.8%**

Composite County Rank: **1**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	45.6% 43.9%	▼	44.3%	65
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.24% 0.25%	▼	0.33%	26
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	13.8% 15.6%	▲	10.9%	4
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.3% 81.3%	▲	79.6%	65
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	65.9 67.6	▼	71.1	62
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	14.6 15.5	▲	5.5	1
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$60 \$82	▼	\$147	7
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	40.5 33.9	▲	43.9	93
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 52.5%	42.5%	16

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	135,747
	Total Population, 2005
	143,326
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	7,579/5.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	11,708
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	8.6%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
	Percent Male
	41.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	9.1%
	Percent Female
	57.7%
	Percent Male
	42.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	10.2%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	14.5%
	Percent Female
	55.3%
	Percent Male
	44.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$100,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	5.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$45,863
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	27.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Buchanan

Population 65+, 2005: **12,367**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-3.8%**

Composite County Rank: **92**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	43.8%	▲	44.3%	63
	2004	43.9%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.47%	▲	0.33%	64
	2003	0.45%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	8.9%	▲	10.9%	23
	2004	9.8%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	76.9%	▲	79.6%	76
	2005	80.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	67.5	▼	71.1	86
	2003	78.6			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.8	▲	5.5	17
	2004	5.0			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$116	▼	\$147	33
	2005	\$143			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	55.2	▲	43.9	105
	2005	44.6			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	113
	2005	35.5%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	86,059
	Total Population, 2005
	84,904
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-1,155/-1.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	12,861
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.9%
	Percent Female
	61.6%
	Percent Male
	38.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.6%
	Percent Female
	61.2%
	Percent Male
	38.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.1%
	Percent Female
	59.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	40.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.1%
	Percent Female
	56.0%
	Percent Male
	44.0%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	57.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$72,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	9.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$37,198
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	9.4%
	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	53.3%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Butler

Population 65+, 2005: **6,895**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.2%**

Composite County Rank: **97**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	47.5%	▲	44.3%	39
	2004	47.9%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	1.06%	▲	0.33%	105
	2003	1.04%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	8.4%	▲	10.9%	24
	2004	9.7%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	73.0%	▲	79.6%	103
	2005	77.0%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	75.2	▼	71.1	96
	2003	88.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	6.7	▲	5.5	7
	2004	7.5			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$238	▼	\$147	89
	2005	\$289			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	31.9	▼	43.9	107
	2005	48.4			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	89
	2005	42.1%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	40,825
	Total Population, 2005
	41,338
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	513/1.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	6,810
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.7%
	Percent Female
	58.4%
	Percent Male
	41.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.7%
	Percent Female
	57.9%
	Percent Male
	42.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.0%
	Percent Female
	57.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.3%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
	Percent Male
	42.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	57.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$58,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	16.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,209
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Caldwell

Population 65+, 2005: **1,552**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **2.1%**

Composite County Rank: **37**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	44.4%	▼	44.3%	62
	2004	44.3%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.29%	▼	0.33%	42
	2003	0.34%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.6%	▲	10.9%	87
	2004	6.2%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	84.7%	▲	79.6%	12
	2005	86.7%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	61.4	▼	71.1	67
	2003	69.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.3	▼	5.5	76
	2004	2.0			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$161	▼	\$147	47
	2005	\$172			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	12.4	▼	43.9	42
	2005	17.5			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	45
	2005	47.6%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	8,995
	Total Population, 2005
	9,307
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	312/3.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,520
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.9%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
	Percent Male
	43.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.7%
	Percent Female
	55.3%
	Percent Male
	44.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.5%
	Percent Female
	54.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.7%
	Percent Female
	51.1%
	Percent Male
	48.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	60.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$63,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,894
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.3%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Callaway

Population 65+, 2005: **4,830**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **8.1%**

Composite County Rank: **76**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	49.5%	▼	44.3%	32
	2004	49.3%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.28%	▼	0.33%	35
	2003	0.30%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	7.9%	▲	10.9%	43
	2004	8.7%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	78.1%	▲	79.6%	87
	2005	78.7%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	79.3	▲	71.1	80
	2003	75.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.8	▼	5.5	57
	2004	2.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$75	▼	\$147	11
	2005	\$95			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	21.8	▼	43.9	83
	2005	31.4			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	103
	2005	38.9%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	40,935
	Total Population, 2005
	42,541
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,606/3.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,469
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	10.9%
	Percent Female
	57.2%
	Percent Male
	42.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	11.4%
	Percent Female
	57.5%
	Percent Male
	42.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	12.9%
	Percent Female
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.4%
	Percent Female
	53.0%
	Percent Male
	47.0%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	60.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$83,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	8.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,867
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	11.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Camden

Population 65+, 2005: **8,153**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **15.5%**

Composite County Rank: **26**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	42.3% 40.8%	▼	44.3%	80
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.19% 0.17%	▲	0.33%	10
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.5% 7.9%	▲	10.9%	58
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	86.8% 86.0%	▼	79.6%	14
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	38.0 34.0	▲	71.1	6
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.4 3.1	▼	5.5	47
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$85 \$102	▼	\$147	14
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	30.3 35.1	▼	43.9	94
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 44.5%	42.5%	77

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	37,228
	Total Population, 2005
	39,432
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	2,204/5.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	7,056
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.0%
	Percent Female
	50.6%
	Percent Male
	49.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.7%
	Percent Female
	51.7%
	Percent Male
	48.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	23.2%
	Percent Female
	51.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	48.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	26.8%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	89.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	71.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$107,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	7.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,614
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	13.1%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Cape Girardeau

Population 65+, 2005: **10,029**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **5.8%**

Composite County Rank: **24**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	45.5%	▼	44.3%	57
	2004	45.2%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.33%	▼	0.33%	47
	2003	0.35%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	11.1%	▲	10.9%	8
	2004	12.5%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	76.0%	▲	79.6%	94
	2005	78.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	58.6	▲	71.1	36
	2003	56.9			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	5.6	▲	5.5	6
	2004	7.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$137	▼	\$147	50
	2005	\$180			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	49.1	▲	43.9	103
	2005	42.3			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	94
	2005	41.4%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	68,763
	Total Population, 2005
	71,161
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	2,398/3.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	9,477
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.8%
	Percent Female
	59.9%
	Percent Male
	40.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.1%
	Percent Female
	59.4%
	Percent Male
	40.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.3%
	Percent Female
	57.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.0%
	Percent Female
	55.4%
	Percent Male
	44.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	60.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$91,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,600
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	13.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Carroll

Population 65+, 2005: **1,981**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-3.2%**

Composite County Rank: **63**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	35.1% 35.3%	▲	44.3%	105
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.44% 0.42%	▲	0.33%	59
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.3% 7.9%	▲	10.9%	57
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	81.7% 78.9%	▼	79.6%	86
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	70.1 73.5	▼	71.1	76
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.5 2.5	▲	5.5	63
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$173 \$199	▼	\$147	56
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	8.7 6.8	▲	43.9	7
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 52.0%	42.5%	17

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	10,279
	Total Population, 2005
	10,193
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-86/-0.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,047
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.9%
	Percent Female
	60.1%
	Percent Male
	39.9%
	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
Quality of Life	19.4%
	Percent Female
	56.8%
	Percent Male
	43.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	20.7%
	Percent Female
	60.3%
	Percent Male
	39.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.5%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
	Percent Male
	45.6%
Health and Wellness	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.3%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	60.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
Health and Wellness	\$55,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,195
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.2%
	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Carter

Population 65+, 2005: **983**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.8%**

Composite County Rank: **104**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	55.4% 54.0%	▼	44.3%	6
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.32% 1.23%	▲	0.33%	110
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	4.0% 5.2%	▲	10.9%	100
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	73.9% 80.3%	▲	79.6%	74
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	88.6 105.6	▼	71.1	105
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.1 0.9	▼	5.5	109
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$236 \$306	▼	\$147	94
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	14.1 14.7	▼	43.9	34
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 51.3%	42.5%	23

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	5,947
	Total Population, 2005
	5,910
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-37/-0.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	938
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.8%
	Percent Female
	53.7%
	Percent Male
	46.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.7%
	Percent Female
	54.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.3%
	Percent Female
	51.7%
	Percent Male
	48.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$50,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	20.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$27,878
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Cass

Population 65+, 2005: **11,099**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **14.2%**

Composite County Rank: **23**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	52.5% 50.5%	▼	44.3%	23
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.10% 0.10%	↔	0.33%	3
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.0% 7.9%	▲	10.9%	59
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	77.8% 81.5%	▲	79.6%	62
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	48.5 54.0	▼	71.1	33
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.3 1.9	▼	5.5	78
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$95 \$111	▼	\$147	17
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	30.0 31.5	▼	43.9	84
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 48.4%	42.5%	38

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	82,637
	Total Population, 2005
	94,232
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	11,595/14.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	9,722
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	11.8%
	Percent Female
	58.1%
	Percent Male
	41.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	11.8%
	Percent Female
	55.2%
	Percent Male
	44.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	13.8%
	Percent Female
	54.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.1%
	Percent Female
	53.7%
	Percent Male
	46.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	64.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$104,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	5.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$41,205
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	11.3%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	36.0%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	41.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.0%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	22.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.2%
	No Mammography, 2004
	43.6%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	61.5%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Cedar

Population 65+, 2005: **2,937**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **3.4%**

Composite County Rank: **98**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	40.5%	▼	44.3%	89
	2004	39.2%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.58%	▼	0.33%	84
	2003	0.65%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.3%	▲	10.9%	92
	2004	6.0%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	83.6%	▲	79.6%	19
	2005	85.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	94.7	▼	71.1	101
	2003	94.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.2	▼	5.5	88
	2004	1.7			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$159	▼	\$147	69
	2005	\$219			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	32.5	▲	43.9	60
	2005	22.9			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	43
	2005	47.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,731
	Total Population, 2005
	14,160
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	429/3.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,841
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	20.7%
	Percent Female
	55.8%
	Percent Male
	44.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.7%
	Percent Female
	56.1%
	Percent Male
	43.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	22.6%
	Percent Female
	55.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	24.0%
	Percent Female
	53.9%
	Percent Male
	46.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	87.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$61,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	14.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,112
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Chariton

Population 65+, 2005: **1,697**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-9.1%**

Composite County Rank: **79**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	29.6%	▲	44.3%	114
	2004	31.9%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.30%	▼	0.33%	49
	2003	0.36%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	6.0%	▲	10.9%	78
	2004	6.8%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	77.0%	▲	79.6%	22
	2005	85.1%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	48.0	▼	71.1	38
	2003	58.1			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	1.5	▼	5.5	113
	2004	0.6			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$266	▼	\$147	109
	2005	\$389			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	14.1	▲	43.9	8
	2005	8.6			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	64
	2005	46.0%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	8,422
	Total Population, 2005
	8,124
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-298/-3.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,867
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	22.2%
	Percent Female
	58.2%
	Percent Male
	41.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.9%
	Percent Female
	55.2%
	Percent Male
	44.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	22.1%
	Percent Female
	55.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	27.0%
	Percent Female
	54.8%
	Percent Male
	45.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	57.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$52,700
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	14.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,172
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.2%
	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Christian

Population 65+, 2005: **7,311**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **25.9%**

Composite County Rank: **17**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	57.3% 55.7%	▼	44.3%	3
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.22% 0.24%	▼	0.33%	22
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.1% 6.3%	▲	10.9%	84
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.4% 82.5%	▲	79.6%	48
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	30.5 37.0	▼	71.1	9
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.4 1.8	▲	5.5	82
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$62 \$63	▼	\$147	4
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	24.4 19.0	▲	43.9	49
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 43.4%	42.5%	80

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	54,955
	Total Population, 2005
	67,266
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	12,311/22.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,807
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	10.6%
	Percent Female
	56.8%
	Percent Male
	43.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	10.9%
	Percent Female
	56.9%
	Percent Male
	43.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	12.3%
	Percent Female
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	54.8%
	Percent Male
	45.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.1%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	66.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$96,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	7.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,319
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.4%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.5%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Clark

Population 65+, 2005: **1,191**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-3.8%**

Composite County Rank: **8**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	43.8% 43.4%	▼	44.3%	69
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.37% 0.32%	▲	0.33%	39
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.7% 9.1%	▲	10.9%	32
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	76.6% 85.8%	▲	79.6%	15
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	26.8 22.2	▲	71.1	1
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.6 3.4	▲	5.5	42
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$175 \$208	▼	\$147	65
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	11.3 13.5	▼	43.9	25
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 47.4%	42.5%	46

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	7,392
	Total Population, 2005
	7,323
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-69/-0.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,238
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.7%
	Percent Female
	60.8%
	Percent Male
	39.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.3%
	Percent Female
	55.5%
	Percent Male
	44.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.6%
	Percent Female
	57.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	24.3%
	Percent Female
	53.6%
	Percent Male
	46.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	58.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$52,700
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,150
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.2%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Clay

Population 65+, 2005: **22,169**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **11.1%**

Composite County Rank: **9**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	48.3%	▼	44.3%	44
	2004	47.3%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.11%	↔	0.33%	4
	2003	0.11%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	10.9%	▲	10.9%	10
	2004	12.0%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	81.2%	▲	79.6%	53
	2005	82.3%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	52.5	▼	71.1	37
	2003	57.7			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	6.1	▲	5.5	12
	2004	6.2			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$83	▼	\$147	10
	2005	\$94			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	20.6	▲	43.9	47
	2005	18.6			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	99
	2005	40.4%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	184,811
	Total Population, 2005
	202,078
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	17,267/9.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	19,951
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	10.8%
	Percent Female
	59.0%
	Percent Male
	41.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	11.0%
	Percent Female
	58.0%
	Percent Male
	42.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	12.3%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	15.8%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	66.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$104,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	5.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$38,990
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	12.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	36.0%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	41.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.0%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	22.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.2%
	No Mammography, 2004
	43.6%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	61.5%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Clinton

Population 65+, 2005: **2,989**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **11.3%**

Composite County Rank: **89**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	46.5%	▼	44.3%	58
	2004	45.1%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.24%	▲	0.33%	14
	2003	0.21%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	7.1%	▼	10.9%	83
	2004	6.4%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	76.1%	▲	79.6%	109
	2005	76.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	80.6	▲	71.1	82
	2003	76.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.8	▼	5.5	45
	2004	3.3			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$176	▼	\$147	64
	2005	\$208			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	30.4	▲	43.9	59
	2005	22.4			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	96
	2005	40.9%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	19,051
	Total Population, 2005
	20,715
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,664/8.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,685
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.1%
	Percent Female
	59.4%
	Percent Male
	40.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.4%
	Percent Female
	57.9%
	Percent Male
	42.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.3%
	Percent Female
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.7%
	Percent Female
	55.3%
	Percent Male
	44.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	53.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$91,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,686
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.6%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	36.0%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	41.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	22.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.2%
	No Mammography, 2004
	43.6%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	61.5%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Cole

Population 65+, 2005: **8,486**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.7%**

Composite County Rank: **2**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	44.8% 44.9%	▲	44.3%	61
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.23% 0.23%	↔	0.33%	16
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	14.1% 17.8%	▲	10.9%	2
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.4% 81.4%	▲	79.6%	64
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	75.1 73.5	▲	71.1	75
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	9.1 9.5	▲	5.5	4
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$85 \$96	▼	\$147	12
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	31.7 35.8	▼	43.9	97
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 55.6%	42.5%	9

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	71,471
	Total Population, 2005
	72,757
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,286/1.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	8,101
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	11.3%
	Percent Female
	60.3%
	Percent Male
	39.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	11.7%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
	Percent Male
	41.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	13.0%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.2%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$96,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	7.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$45,225
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	15.1%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Cooper

Population 65+, 2005: **2,549**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.6%**

Composite County Rank: **68**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	43.0%	▼	44.3%	75
	2004	41.5%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.25%	▲	0.33%	20
	2003	0.24%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	9.4%	▼	10.9%	41
	2004	8.8%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	77.2%	▲	79.6%	83
	2005	79.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	76.7	▼	71.1	90
	2003	83.4			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.0	▼	5.5	72
	2004	2.2			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$202	▼	\$147	68
	2005	\$216			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	27.8	▲	43.9	69
	2005	26.4			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	31
	2005	49.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	16,714
	Total Population, 2005
	17,294
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	580/3.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,534
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.2%
	Percent Female
	58.4%
	Percent Male
	41.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.7%
	Percent Female
	58.0%
	Percent Male
	42.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.1%
	Percent Female
	55.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.4%
	Percent Female
	53.4%
	Percent Male
	46.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$77,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	8.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$31,182
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.2%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Crawford

Population 65+, 2005: **3,879**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **7.6%**

Composite County Rank: **96**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	49.5%	▼	44.3%	40
	2004	47.8%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.46%	▼	0.33%	66
	2003	0.47%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	6.1%	▲	10.9%	81
	2004	6.6%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	78.8%	▲	79.6%	70
	2005	80.9%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	78.9	▼	71.1	93
	2003	86.5			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.1	▼	5.5	88
	2004	1.7			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$167	▼	\$147	76
	2005	\$237			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	45.5	▲	43.9	104
	2005	43.2			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	49
	2005	47.2%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	22,865
	Total Population, 2005
	23,932
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,067/4.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,604
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.8%
	Percent Female
	56.0%
	Percent Male
	44.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.2%
	Percent Female
	55.6%
	Percent Male
	44.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.5%
	Percent Female
	52.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.3%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$69,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	14.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,743
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.8%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Dade

Population 65+, 2005: **1,583**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-0.8%**

Composite County Rank: **45**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	39.8%	▲	44.3%	77
	2004	41.1%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.42%	▼	0.33%	69
	2003	0.50%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.2%	▲	10.9%	72
	2004	7.1%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	86.4%	▼	79.6%	25
	2005	84.9%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	53.9	▼	71.1	57
	2003	65.3			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	1.8	▼	5.5	111
	2004	0.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$220	▼	\$147	82
	2005	\$278			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	15.0	▲	43.9	14
	2005	10.5			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	24
	2005	51.1%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	7,916
	Total Population, 2005
	7,830
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-86/-1.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,596
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	20.2%
	Percent Female
	57.0%
	Percent Male
	43.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.2%
	Percent Female
	51.8%
	Percent Male
	48.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	23.0%
	Percent Female
	53.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	27.8%
	Percent Female
	49.5%
	Percent Male
	50.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$63,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	13.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,100
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.5%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Dallas

Population 65+, 2005: **2,400**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.1%**

Composite County Rank: **58**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	48.9%	▼	44.3%	49
	2004	46.6%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.54%	▼	0.33%	80
	2003	0.58%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	4.6%	▼	10.9%	106
	2004	4.2%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	81.8%	▲	79.6%	7
	2005	88.3%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	54.5	▲	71.1	15
	2003	43.5			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.5	▼	5.5	82
	2004	1.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$143	▼	\$147	63
	2005	\$204			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	12.8	▼	43.9	76
	2005	27.7			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	84
	2005	43.1%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	15,690
	Total Population, 2005
	16,437
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	747/4.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,374
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.1%
	Percent Female
	55.2%
	Percent Male
	44.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.6%
	Percent Female
	55.6%
	Percent Male
	44.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.6%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.7%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.5%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$70,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	18.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,569
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.8%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Daviess

Population 65+, 2005: **1,376**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-2.0%**

Composite County Rank: **40**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	39.6% 42.1%	▲	44.3%	73
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.30% 0.26%	▲	0.33%	29
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.6% 6.2%	▼	10.9%	85
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	87.2% 87.8%	▲	79.6%	9
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	38.3 69.0	▼	71.1	65
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.1 0.7	▼	5.5	112
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$101 \$129	▼	\$147	25
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	12.9 14.2	▼	43.9	29
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 47.1%	42.5%	50

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	8,001
	Total Population, 2005
	8,121
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	120/1.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,403
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.5%
	Percent Female
	56.9%
	Percent Male
	43.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.9%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
	Percent Male
	43.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.7%
	Percent Female
	50.8%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	49.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.5%
	Percent Female
	52.9%
	Percent Male
	47.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	67.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$64,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$42,378
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.2%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

DeKalb

Population 65+, 2005: **1,665**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.5%**

Composite County Rank: **80**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	47.9%	▼	44.3%	41
	2004	47.7%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.22%	▲	0.33%	12
	2003	0.19%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.3%	▲	10.9%	76
	2004	6.8%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	71.1%	▲	79.6%	106
	2005	76.6%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	34.7	▼	71.1	81
	2003	76.5			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	0.6	▲	5.5	88
	2004	1.7			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$158	▲	\$147	39
	2005	\$157			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	4.4	▲	43.9	1
	2005	0.1			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	111
	2005	36.0%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,109
	Total Population, 2005
	12,342
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-767/-5.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,641
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	12.5%
	Percent Female
	55.9%
	Percent Male
	44.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.5%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
	Percent Male
	43.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	14.0%
	Percent Female
	54.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.5%
	Percent Female
	46.2%
	Percent Male
	53.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	72.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	54.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$70,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	15.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$26,464
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.7%
	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	53.3%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Dent

Population 65+, 2005: **2,591**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-2.1%**

Composite County Rank: **41**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	47.8% 45.5%	▼	44.3%	56
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.83% 0.82%	▲	0.33%	96
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	5.1% 6.1%	▲	10.9%	90
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	77.9% 85.5%	▲	79.6%	17
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	80.6 68.0	▲	71.1	63
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.8 2.8	↔	5.5	57
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$169 \$258	▼	\$147	79
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	25.8 24.3	▲	43.9	63
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 55.7%	42.5%	8

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	14,937
	Total Population, 2005
	15,083
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	146/1.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,647
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.7%
	Percent Female
	56.8%
	Percent Male
	43.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.2%
	Percent Female
	57.4%
	Percent Male
	42.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.4%
	Percent Female
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	52.7%
	Percent Male
	47.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$62,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	12.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,521
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Douglas

Population 65+, 2005: **2,356**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **5.1%**

Composite County Rank: **70**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	44.4% 46.7%	▲	44.3%	48
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.78% 0.85%	▼	0.33%	97
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	3.5% 0.4%	▼	10.9%	115
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	81.9% 84.4%	▲	79.6%	29
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	21.0 28.0	▼	71.1	2
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.7 2.1	▲	5.5	75
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$109 \$137	▼	\$147	29
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	7.3 24.3	▼	43.9	64
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 51.8%	42.5%	19

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,104
	Total Population, 2005
	13,594
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	490/3.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,241
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.1%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
	Percent Male
	43.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.3%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	19.2%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	23.1%
	Percent Female
	53.4%
	Percent Male
	46.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	66.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$67,700
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	18.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,027
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.9%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Dunklin

Population 65+, 2005: **5,523**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.2%**

Composite County Rank: **113**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	50.0% 51.3%	▲	44.3%	19
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.56% 1.51%	▲	0.33%	114
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.6% 9.3%	▲	10.9%	30
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	73.7% 73.0%	▼	79.6%	113
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	69.7 84.4	▼	71.1	92
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.7 3.7	▲	5.5	36
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$400 \$482	▼	\$147	113
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	29.6 37.3	▼	43.9	99
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 35.4%	42.5%	114

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	33,103
	Total Population, 2005
	32,545
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-558/-1.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,459
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.5%
	Percent Female
	61.8%
	Percent Male
	38.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.0%
	Percent Female
	62.1%
	Percent Male
	37.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.6%
	Percent Female
	59.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	40.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.0%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
	Percent Male
	43.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	55.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$45,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	21.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$27,401
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.7%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Franklin

Population 65+, 2005: **12,560**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **10.4%**

Composite County Rank: **43**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	52.4%	▼	44.3%	27
	2004	49.8%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.25%	↔	0.33%	24
	2003	0.25%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	8.0%	▲	10.9%	31
	2004	9.2%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	79.6%	▲	79.6%	57
	2005	81.8%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	74.4	▼	71.1	85
	2003	77.9			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	4.0	▲	5.5	24
	2004	4.4			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$113	▼	\$147	30
	2005	\$137			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	30.7	▲	43.9	58
	2005	22.2			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	115
	2005	34.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	94,086
	Total Population, 2005
	99,090
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	5,004/5.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	11,375
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	12.1%
	Percent Female
	57.6%
	Percent Male
	42.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	12.7%
	Percent Female
	56.6%
	Percent Male
	43.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	14.2%
	Percent Female
	56.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.0%
	Percent Female
	53.4%
	Percent Male
	46.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	65.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$93,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	8.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,147
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.0%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.1%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	38.8%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	52.5%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	17.6%
	Smoking, 2005
	8.5%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	34.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	52.6%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Gasconade

Population 65+, 2005: **2,884**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-0.2%**

Composite County Rank: **46**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	39.9%	▼	44.3%	87
	2004	39.8%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.24%	▲	0.33%	18
	2003	0.23%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	9.0%	▲	10.9%	22
	2004	9.9%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	77.6%	▲	79.6%	77
	2005	80.0%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	53.5	▼	71.1	40
	2003	58.1			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.3	▼	5.5	96
	2004	1.5			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$260	▼	\$147	101
	2005	\$337			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	24.8	▲	43.9	43
	2005	17.7			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	51
	2005	47.1%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	15,386
	Total Population, 2005
	15,745
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	359/2.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,889
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	18.8%
	Percent Female
	58.4%
	Percent Male
	41.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	18.3%
	Percent Female
	58.6%
	Percent Male
	41.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	20.4%
	Percent Female
	56.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	24.3%
	Percent Female
	54.2%
	Percent Male
	45.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$76,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,398
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Gentry

Population 65+, 2005: **1,429**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-2.9%**

Composite County Rank: **83**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	36.1%	↔	44.3%	103
	2004	36.1%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.31%	▼	0.33%	52
	2003	0.39%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	8.8%	▲	10.9%	26
	2004	9.6%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	79.9%	▲	79.6%	39
	2005	83.5%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	61.0	▼	71.1	102
	2003	97.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	1.7	▲	5.5	65
	2004	2.4			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$266	▼	\$147	108
	2005	\$388			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	6.0	▼	43.9	9
	2005	8.7			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	92
	2005	41.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	6,859
	Total Population, 2005
	6,555
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-304/-4.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,472
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	21.5%
	Percent Female
	59.4%
	Percent Male
	40.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	21.8%
	Percent Female
	59.4%
	Percent Male
	40.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	23.8%
	Percent Female
	56.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	26.9%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	57.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$54,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	10.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,087
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.2%
	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	53.3%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Greene

Population 65+, 2005: **34,759**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **6.1%**

Composite County Rank: **49**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	40.7% 40.0%	▼	44.3%	85
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.35% 0.37%	▼	0.33%	50
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	10.1% 11.4%	▲	10.9%	13
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	81.2% 81.7%	▲	79.6%	60
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	41.0 46.9	▼	71.1	22
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	7.0 7.3	▲	5.5	8
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$104 \$124	▼	\$147	22
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	67.6 62.6	▲	43.9	113
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 41.5%	42.5%	93

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	240,627
	Total Population, 2005
	250,784
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	10,157/4.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	32,760
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.6%
	Percent Female
	60.3%
	Percent Male
	39.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.9%
	Percent Female
	60.2%
	Percent Male
	39.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.2%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.5%
	Percent Female
	55.8%
	Percent Male
	44.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	61.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$88,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	7.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$39,821
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	15.8%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Grundy

Population 65+, 2005: **2,163**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.1%**

Composite County Rank: **94**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	38.7% 36.7%	▼	44.3%	99
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.45% 0.50%	▼	0.33%	68
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.5% 8.1%	▲	10.9%	54
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.0% 80.8%	▲	79.6%	71
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	68.2 45.1	▲	71.1	18
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.2 2.9	▲	5.5	53
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$245 \$332	▼	\$147	98
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	31.7 28.3	▲	43.9	78
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 37.4%	42.5%	109

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	10,406
	Total Population, 2005
	10,327
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-79/-0.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,140
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	20.6%
	Percent Female
	60.4%
	Percent Male
	39.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.9%
	Percent Female
	61.5%
	Percent Male
	38.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	21.4%
	Percent Female
	58.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	23.3%
	Percent Female
	55.6%
	Percent Male
	44.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	76.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	58.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$47,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,858
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.4%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Harrison

Population 65+, 2005: **1,890**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-2.2%**

Composite County Rank: **81**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	36.3% 35.6%	▼	44.3%	104
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.50% 0.52%	▼	0.33%	70
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.9% 9.0%	▲	10.9%	35
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.8% 80.5%	▲	79.6%	73
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	51.8 40.7	▲	71.1	13
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.1 1.3	▲	5.5	101
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$265 \$407	▼	\$147	111
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	21.6 14.4	▲	43.9	33
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 42.4%	42.5%	86

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	8,864
	Total Population, 2005
	8,876
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	12/0.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,933
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	21.8%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
	Percent Male
	41.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	21.3%
	Percent Female
	57.0%
	Percent Male
	43.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	23.1%
	Percent Female
	56.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	25.1%
	Percent Female
	51.9%
	Percent Male
	48.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$49,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	15.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$26,887
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Henry

Population 65+, 2005: **4,201**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.4%**

Composite County Rank: **72**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	40.6% 40.3%	▼	44.3%	84
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.56% 0.59%	▼	0.33%	81
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.2% 8.2%	▲	10.9%	53
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.9% 83.8%	▲	79.6%	36
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	48.0 59.4	▼	71.1	45
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.4 3.3	▼	5.5	45
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$156 \$212	▼	\$147	66
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	46.3 39.4	▲	43.9	101
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 46.7%	42.5%	55

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	22,099
	Total Population, 2005
	22,577
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	478/2.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,024
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	18.2%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
	Percent Male
	41.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	18.6%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
	Percent Male
	43.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	19.3%
	Percent Female
	54.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.3%
	Percent Female
	53.8%
	Percent Male
	46.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$65,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,608
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.7%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Hickory

Population 65+, 2005: **2,502**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **7.4%**

Composite County Rank: **106**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	34.0% 32.6%	▼	44.3%	112
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.65% 0.63%	▲	0.33%	83
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	2.4% 2.2%	▼	10.9%	113
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	82.4% 85.2%	▲	79.6%	21
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	51.2 47.1	▲	71.1	23
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.3 1.0	▼	5.5	107
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$200 \$265	▼	\$147	80
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	24.7 16.3	▲	43.9	39
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 47.1%	42.5%	52

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	8,947
	Total Population, 2005
	9,271
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	324/3.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,329
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	26.0%
	Percent Female
	51.7%
	Percent Male
	48.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	27.0%
	Percent Female
	53.6%
	Percent Male
	46.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	29.1%
	Percent Female
	53.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	30.9%
	Percent Female
	53.2%
	Percent Male
	46.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	90.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	67.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$61,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	11.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$26,737
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Holt

Population 65+, 2005: **1,024**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-10.6%**

Composite County Rank: **47**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	35.3% 36.5%	▲	44.3%	100
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.28% 0.27%	▲	0.33%	30
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.8% 7.2%	▲	10.9%	69
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	81.5% 89.2%	▲	79.6%	5
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	48.9 79.3	▼	71.1	87
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.4 1.7	▼	5.5	88
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$273 \$304	▼	\$147	93
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	29.5 27.0	▲	43.9	74
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 51.8%	42.5%	18

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	5,329
	Total Population, 2005
	5,081
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-248/-4.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,146
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	21.5%
	Percent Female
	59.1%
	Percent Male
	40.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.2%
	Percent Female
	62.4%
	Percent Male
	37.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	23.1%
	Percent Female
	54.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	25.5%
	Percent Female
	48.5%
	Percent Male
	51.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	76.3%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$50,700
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	11.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,615
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.4%
	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Howard

Population 65+, 2005: **1,698**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.0%**

Composite County Rank: **69**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	39.3%	▼	44.3%	95
	2004	37.8%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.35%	▼	0.33%	51
	2003	0.38%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	7.6%	▲	10.9%	52
	2004	8.3%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	74.4%	▼	79.6%	114
	2005	72.4%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	20.3	▼	71.1	11
	2003	39.7			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.8	▼	5.5	63
	2004	2.5			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$167	▼	\$147	51
	2005	\$188			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	16.1	▲	43.9	15
	2005	10.7			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	33
	2005	48.8%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	10,185
	Total Population, 2005
	9,957
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-228/-2.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,632
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	59.1%
	Percent Male
	40.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.1%
	Percent Female
	59.0%
	Percent Male
	41.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.4%
	Percent Female
	53.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	58.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$67,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	14.4%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,897
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	11.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Howell

Population 65+, 2005: **6,707**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **7.1%**

Composite County Rank: **100**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	52.0% 49.6%	▼	44.3%	30
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.82% 0.91%	▼	0.33%	98
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	5.9% 7.4%	▲	10.9%	68
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	74.9% 78.0%	▲	79.6%	95
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	65.0 49.3	▲	71.1	24
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.8 4.0	▲	5.5	30
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$265 \$281	▼	\$147	85
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	33.9 36.2	▼	43.9	98
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 35.9%	42.5%	112

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	37,235
	Total Population, 2005
	38,400
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,165/3.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	6,263
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.8%
	Percent Female
	58.1%
	Percent Male
	41.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.5%
	Percent Female
	55.7%
	Percent Male
	44.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.8%
	Percent Female
	55.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.1%
	Percent Female
	54.1%
	Percent Male
	45.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$66,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	14.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,454
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.7%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Iron

Population 65+, 2005: **1,770**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-2.1%**

Composite County Rank: **91**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	49.2%	▼	44.3%	37
	2004	48.1%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	1.11%	▼	0.33%	108
	2003	1.13%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	4.4%	▲	10.9%	95
	2004	5.7%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	75.3%	▲	79.6%	84
	2005	79.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	60.4	▼	71.1	78
	2003	74.2			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.0	▼	5.5	57
	2004	2.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$222	▼	\$147	92
	2005	\$304			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	13.8	▼	43.9	31
	2005	14.3			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	37
	2005	48.5%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	10,634
	Total Population, 2005
	10,273
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-361/-3.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,808
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.0%
	Percent Female
	57.8%
	Percent Male
	42.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.2%
	Percent Female
	57.1%
	Percent Male
	42.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	19.2%
	Percent Female
	57.0%
	Percent Male
	43.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Female
	55.1%
	Percent Male
	44.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.7%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$53,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,093
Health and Wellness	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.2%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Jackson

Population 65+, 2005: **82,218**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.3%**

Composite County Rank: **93**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	40.8% 40.8%	↔	44.3%	79
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.31% 0.32%	▼	0.33%	40
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	13.2% 14.2%	▲	10.9%	5
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	76.0% 77.8%	▲	79.6%	98
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	80.6 91.0	▼	71.1	99
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	6.8 6.9	▲	5.5	10
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$100 \$124	▼	\$147	21
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	103.1 89.2	▲	43.9	114
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 44.6%	42.5%	76

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	655,639
	Total Population, 2005
	662,959
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	7,320/1.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	81,987
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	12.5%
	Percent Female
	60.9%
	Percent Male
	39.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	12.4%
	Percent Female
	59.5%
	Percent Male
	40.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	13.4%
	Percent Female
	58.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	56.3%
	Percent Male
	43.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	73.1%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	60.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$84,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	8.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$39,158
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	13.4%
	No Exercise, 2005
	36.0%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	41.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	22.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.2%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	43.6%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	61.5%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Jasper

Population 65+, 2005: **14,536**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.7%**

Composite County Rank: **60**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	46.9% 46.5%	▼	44.3%	51
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.55% 0.56%	▼	0.33%	78
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	11.0% 11.1%	▲	10.9%	16
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.6% 84.0%	▲	79.6%	33
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	66.2 77.0	▼	71.1	84
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.5 3.5	↔	5.5	40
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$110 \$140	▼	\$147	32
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	56.4 54.4	▲	43.9	112
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 47.2%	42.5%	48

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	104,981
	Total Population, 2005
	110,624
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	5,643/5.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	14,434
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.7%
	Percent Female
	60.2%
	Percent Male
	39.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.1%
	Percent Female
	59.0%
	Percent Male
	41.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	13.8%
	Percent Female
	57.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	15.2%
	Percent Female
	55.5%
	Percent Male
	44.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	61.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$67,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,558
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Jefferson

Population 65+, 2005: **21,417**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **17.0%**

Composite County Rank: **50**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	56.5% 54.2%	▼	44.3%	5
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.18% 0.18%	↔	0.33%	11
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	5.8% 6.2%	▲	10.9%	86
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	76.7% 77.9%	▲	79.6%	96
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	64.6 62.0	▲	71.1	48
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.9 2.9	↔	5.5	53
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$84 \$96	▼	\$147	13
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	32.0 31.6	▲	43.9	86
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 43.4%	42.5%	81

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	198,821
	Total Population, 2005
	213,669
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	14,848/7.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	18,306
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	9.2%
	Percent Female
	57.0%
	Percent Male
	43.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	10.0%
	Percent Female
	55.8%
	Percent Male
	44.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	12.2%
	Percent Female
	54.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.5%
	Percent Female
	53.7%
	Percent Male
	46.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	85.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	66.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$93,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	6.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,330
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.1%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	38.8%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	52.5%
	Obesity, 2005
	17.6%
	Smoking, 2005
	8.5%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	34.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	52.6%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Johnson

Population 65+, 2005: **5,155**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **14.8%**

Composite County Rank: **51**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	50.1% 48.7%	▼	44.3%	34
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.26% 0.26%	↔	0.33%	28
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.2% 7.5%	▲	10.9%	65
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	76.8% 76.6%	▼	79.6%	105
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	53.8 46.6	▲	71.1	21
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	4.7 4.5	▼	5.5	23
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$77 \$90	▼	\$147	8
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	29.1 26.1	▲	43.9	68
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 38.9%	42.5%	104

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	48,439
	Total Population, 2005
	50,784
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	2,345/4.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,490
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	9.3%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
	Percent Male
	43.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	10.2%
	Percent Female
	55.3%
	Percent Male
	44.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	11.2%
	Percent Female
	53.8%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	14.1%
	Percent Female
	53.1%
	Percent Male
	46.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$88,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$37,852
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	18.1%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Knox

Population 65+, 2005: **885**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-4.3%**

Composite County Rank: **75**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	27.6% 28.9%	▲	44.3%	115
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.48% 0.55%	▼	0.33%	77
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.8% 8.4%	▼	10.9%	51
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.8% 83.3%	▲	79.6%	41
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	61.7 53.8	▲	71.1	32
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.2 2.4	▲	5.5	65
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$108 \$200	▼	\$147	59
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	26.3 23.5	▲	43.9	62
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 52.9%	42.5%	14

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	4,362
	Total Population, 2005
	4,171
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-191/-4.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	924
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	21.2%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
	Percent Male
	43.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	21.2%
	Percent Female
	56.0%
	Percent Male
	44.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	21.4%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.8%
	Percent Female
	51.8%
	Percent Male
	48.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	61.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$50,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	16.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$27,371
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Laclede

Population 65+, 2005: **5,101**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **10.6%**

Composite County Rank: **44**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	51.6% 49.9%	▼	44.3%	26
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.62% 0.66%	▼	0.33%	85
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.5% 8.0%	▲	10.9%	55
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.8% 82.1%	▲	79.6%	54
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	57.0 51.0	▲	71.1	29
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.8 4.0	▲	5.5	30
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$113 \$134	▼	\$147	28
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	41.5 32.5	▲	43.9	90
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 43.2%	42.5%	83

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	32,594
	Total Population, 2005
	34,492
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,898/5.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,612
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.1%
	Percent Female
	57.4%
	Percent Male
	42.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.8%
	Percent Female
	55.9%
	Percent Male
	44.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	53.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.3%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	64.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$70,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	15.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,891
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.4%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Lafayette

Population 65+, 2005: **5,337**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **5.2%**

Composite County Rank: **74**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	45.0% 43.9%	▼	44.3%	64
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.22% 0.23%	▼	0.33%	19
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.8% 8.8%	▲	10.9%	39
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	76.8% 77.9%	▲	79.6%	97
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	78.1 100.6	▼	71.1	103
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.7 3.1	▲	5.5	47
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$132 \$148	▼	\$147	34
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	26.0 26.5	▼	43.9	71
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 48.5%	42.5%	35

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	33,031
	Total Population, 2005
	33,108
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	77/0.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,072
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.4%
	Percent Female
	59.0%
	Percent Male
	41.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	58.2%
	Percent Male
	41.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.3%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.7%
	Percent Female
	54.1%
	Percent Male
	45.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$78,700
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	9.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,513
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.2%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	36.0%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	41.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.0%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	22.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.2%
	No Mammography, 2004
	43.6%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	61.5%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Lawrence

Population 65+, 2005: **5,632**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **2.5%**

Composite County Rank: **35**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	47.4%	▼	44.3%	43
	2004	47.3%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.41%	↔	0.33%	55
	2003	0.41%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.6%	▲	10.9%	88
	2004	6.1%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	79.1%	▲	79.6%	38
	2005	83.5%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	75.3	▲	71.1	50
	2003	62.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.0	▲	5.5	26
	2004	4.1			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$143	▼	\$147	44
	2005	\$170			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	11.9	▼	43.9	75
	2005	27.1			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	40
	2005	48.1%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	35,328
	Total Population, 2005
	37,127
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,799/5.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,493
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.5%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
	Percent Male
	41.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.2%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
	Percent Male
	42.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.2%
	Percent Female
	55.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.4%
	Percent Female
	53.6%
	Percent Male
	46.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$68,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	11.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,843
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.7%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.5%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Lewis

Population 65+, 2005: **1,691**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.5%**

Composite County Rank: **64**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	41.4% 40.8%	▼	44.3%	81
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.36% 0.34%	▲	0.33%	44
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	10.0% 8.8%	▼	10.9%	40
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	76.5% 78.3%	▲	79.6%	90
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	47.5 43.6	▲	71.1	16
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.9 1.7	▼	5.5	88
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$254 \$292	▼	\$147	90
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	22.2 16.2	▲	43.9	38
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 42.3%	42.5%	88

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	10,519
	Total Population, 2005
	10,186
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-333/-3.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,683
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	59.1%
	Percent Male
	40.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
	Percent Male
	43.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.4%
	Percent Female
	54.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	54.6%
	Percent Male
	45.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	74.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	54.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$52,700
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	11.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,508
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Lincoln

Population 65+, 2005: **4,810**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **14.1%**

Composite County Rank: **33**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	55.0% 54.5%	▼	44.3%	4
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.22% 0.21%	▲	0.33%	15
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.3% 6.9%	▲	10.9%	75
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.0% 77.7%	▼	79.6%	100
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	67.6 69.3	▼	71.1	66
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.7 1.8	▲	5.5	82
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$98 \$78	▲	\$147	5
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	26.7 18.5	▲	43.9	46
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 48.5%	42.5%	34

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	39,265
	Total Population, 2005
	47,727
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	8,462/21.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,216
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	10.7%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
	Percent Male
	43.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	10.1%
	Percent Female
	56.2%
	Percent Male
	43.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	11.3%
	Percent Female
	54.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	13.7%
	Percent Female
	52.5%
	Percent Male
	47.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	65.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$94,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	9.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,599
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.3%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.1%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	38.8%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	52.5%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	17.6%
	Smoking, 2005
	8.5%
	No Mammography, 2004
	34.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	52.6%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Linn

Population 65+, 2005: **2,512**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-10.7%**

Composite County Rank: **99**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	38.4% 36.4%	▼	44.3%	101
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.42% 0.46%	▼	0.33%	65
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.2% 8.4%	▲	10.9%	50
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.5% 84.0%	▲	79.6%	34
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	73.6 133.7	▼	71.1	113
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.3 3.7	▲	5.5	36
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$207 \$267	▼	\$147	81
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	19.0 14.4	▲	43.9	32
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 43.8%	42.5%	78

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,725
	Total Population, 2005
	13,133
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-592/-4.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,814
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	20.5%
	Percent Female
	60.4%
	Percent Male
	39.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	19.1%
	Percent Female
	61.7%
	Percent Male
	38.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	19.5%
	Percent Female
	58.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.2%
	Percent Female
	56.7%
	Percent Male
	43.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	53.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$46,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	14.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,164
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Livingston

Population 65+, 2005: **2,725**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-1.2%**

Composite County Rank: **105**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	36.5% 36.3%	▼	44.3%	102
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.42% 0.53%	▼	0.33%	75
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.9% 9.5%	▲	10.9%	29
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	75.5% 78.3%	▲	79.6%	92
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	78.1 102.4	▼	71.1	104
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.6 3.5	▼	5.5	40
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$223 \$310	▼	\$147	95
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	25.0 25.9	▼	43.9	67
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 45.9%	42.5%	65

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	14,503
	Total Population, 2005
	14,291
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-212/-1.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,759
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.0%
	Percent Female
	62.6%
	Percent Male
	37.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	19.1%
	Percent Female
	62.7%
	Percent Male
	37.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	20.5%
	Percent Female
	59.5%
	Percent Male
	40.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Female
	55.6%
	Percent Male
	44.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.7%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	54.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$63,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	11.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,548
Health and Wellness	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.7%
	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

McDonald

Population 65+, 2005: **2,563**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.4%**

Composite County Rank: **56**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	54.4% 52.8%	▼	44.3%	11
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.54% 0.53%	▲	0.33%	73
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	12.4% 6.6%	▼	10.9%	80
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	75.9% 82.3%	▲	79.6%	52
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	39.5 64.8	▼	71.1	55
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.0 1.1	▲	5.5	105
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$94 \$121	▼	\$147	19
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	25.0 31.1	▼	43.9	82
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 48.0%	42.5%	42

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	21,670
	Total Population, 2005
	22,844
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,174/5.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,455
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	11.3%
	Percent Female
	55.1%
	Percent Male
	44.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	11.2%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	12.6%
	Percent Female
	51.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	48.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	14.4%
	Percent Female
	51.8%
	Percent Male
	48.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	64.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$58,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	17.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$27,006
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.7%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Macon

Population 65+, 2005: **3,171**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **6.1%**

Composite County Rank: **87**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	40.0%	▼	44.3%	97
	2004	37.4%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.35%	▲	0.33%	43
	2003	0.34%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.2%	▲	10.9%	89
	2004	6.1%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	79.0%	▼	79.6%	108
	2005	76.3%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	75.8	▲	71.1	14
	2003	42.2			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.2	▼	5.5	72
	2004	2.2			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$259	▼	\$147	102
	2005	\$340			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	23.1	▲	43.9	51
	2005	19.3			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	56
	2005	46.6%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	15,751
	Total Population, 2005
	15,600
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-151/-1.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,990
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.0%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
	Percent Male
	41.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.3%
	Percent Female
	56.3%
	Percent Male
	43.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	20.5%
	Percent Female
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	23.3%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$61,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,286
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.1%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Madison

Population 65+, 2005: **2,119**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.4%**

Composite County Rank: **62**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	48.4%	▲	44.3%	20
	2004	51.0%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.79%	▲	0.33%	93
	2003	0.78%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.0%	▲	10.9%	38
	2004	8.9%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	74.5%	▲	79.6%	88
	2005	78.6%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	64.6	▼	71.1	97
	2003	89.5			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.5	▲	5.5	38
	2004	3.6			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$361	▼	\$147	105
	2005	\$371			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	25.5	▲	43.9	44
	2005	17.9			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	61
	2005	46.3%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	11,807
	Total Population, 2005
	12,151
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	344/2.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,111
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.9%
	Percent Female
	58.5%
	Percent Male
	41.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.4%
	Percent Female
	56.6%
	Percent Male
	43.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.1%
	Percent Female
	55.8%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	54.8%
	Percent Male
	45.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$54,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	16.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$22,004
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.0%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Maries

Population 65+, 2005: **1,441**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.7%**

Composite County Rank: **15**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	44.9% 42.7%	▼	44.3%	72
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.35% 0.30%	▲	0.33%	36
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	5.4% 5.7%	▲	10.9%	96
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.3% 87.7%	▲	79.6%	10
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	65.6 32.2	▲	71.1	3
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.1 1.1	▼	5.5	105
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$178 \$129	▲	\$147	24
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	2.4 9.6	▼	43.9	10
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 51.3%	42.5%	22

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	8,909
	Total Population, 2005
	8,989
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	80/0.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,376
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.4%
	Percent Female
	55.2%
	Percent Male
	44.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	52.5%
	Percent Male
	47.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.9%
	Percent Female
	51.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	48.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.8%
	Percent Female
	52.8%
	Percent Male
	47.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	86.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	65.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$71,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,491
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.2%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Marion

Population 65+, 2005: **4,464**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-5.0%**

Composite County Rank: **71**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	44.4% 43.8%	▼	44.3%	66
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.59% 0.68%	▼	0.33%	88
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	10.1% 12.3%	▲	10.9%	9
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	73.5% 78.3%	▲	79.6%	93
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	79.4 71.0	▲	71.1	69
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	4.5 5.9	▲	5.5	13
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$217 \$332	▼	\$147	99
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	48.7 53.1	▼	43.9	111
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 45.1%	42.5%	73

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	28,283
	Total Population, 2005
	28,375
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	92/0.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,699
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	60.8%
	Percent Male
	39.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.7%
	Percent Female
	58.8%
	Percent Male
	41.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.8%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.8%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	76.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	52.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$67,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$38,289
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Mercer

Population 65+, 2005: **738**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-10.4%**

Composite County Rank: **57**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	32.2% 33.2%	▲	44.3%	111
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.31% 0.42%	▼	0.33%	58
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.6% 7.6%	↔	10.9%	62
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	83.1% 89.3%	▲	79.6%	4
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	24.3 35.1	▼	71.1	8
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.2 1.3	▲	5.5	101
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$177 \$79	▲	\$147	6
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	23.6 10.3	▲	43.9	13
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 38.2%	42.5%	107

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	3,767
	Total Population, 2005
	3,595
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-172/-4.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	824
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	21.9%
	Percent Female
	60.4%
	Percent Male
	39.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.5%
	Percent Female
	57.6%
	Percent Male
	42.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	20.8%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	24.4%
	Percent Female
	47.5%
	Percent Male
	52.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$40,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	14.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$26,006
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.4%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Miller

Population 65+, 2005: **3,825**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **6.2%**

Composite County Rank: **25**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	48.3% 48.5%	▲	44.3%	36
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.43% 0.44%	▼	0.33%	61
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.3% 8.0%	▲	10.9%	56
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	73.9% 74.7%	▲	79.6%	111
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	53.6 39.9	▲	71.1	12
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.7 3.0	▲	5.5	50
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$114 \$138	▼	\$147	31
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	34.3 20.3	▲	43.9	56
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 55.1%	42.5%	10

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	23,625
	Total Population, 2005
	24,712
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,087/4.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,602
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.2%
	Percent Female
	56.9%
	Percent Male
	43.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.5%
	Percent Female
	56.1%
	Percent Male
	43.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.4%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.7%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$70,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	14.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$27,371
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.9%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Mississippi

Population 65+, 2005: **2,157**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **2.1%**

Composite County Rank: **109**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	50.9% 50.8%	▼	44.3%	21
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.11% 1.03%	▲	0.33%	103
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.8% 9.5%	▲	10.9%	28
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	75.3% 76.4%	▲	79.6%	107
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	89.3 92.8	▼	71.1	100
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.9 2.4	▲	5.5	65
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$354 \$487	▼	\$147	114
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	41.8 29.3	▲	43.9	81
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 39.7%	42.5%	102

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,360
	Total Population, 2005
	13,599
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	239/1.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,112
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.8%
	Percent Female
	62.4%
	Percent Male
	37.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.9%
	Percent Female
	60.9%
	Percent Male
	39.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.7%
	Percent Female
	58.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.9%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	51.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$45,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	21.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$23,542
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Moniteau

Population 65+, 2005: **2,059**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.4%**

Composite County Rank: **10**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	45.0% 46.2%	▲	44.3%	52
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.19% 0.19%	↔	0.33%	13
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.1% 7.1%	↔	10.9%	71
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.6% 82.3%	▲	79.6%	50
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	60.6 63.1	▼	71.1	52
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.8 1.9	▼	5.5	78
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$164 \$179	▼	\$147	49
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	19.9 14.1	▲	43.9	27
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 63.0%	42.5%	6

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	14,843
	Total Population, 2005
	15,084
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	241/1.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,052
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.8%
	Percent Female
	61.0%
	Percent Male
	39.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.7%
	Percent Female
	59.2%
	Percent Male
	40.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	13.8%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
	Percent Male
	43.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	16.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Female
	52.8%
	Percent Male
	47.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.1%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	57.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$74,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	9.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,115
Health and Wellness	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.1%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Monroe

Population 65+, 2005: **1,684**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **3.2%**

Composite County Rank: **34**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	41.0%	▼	44.3%	88
	2004	39.8%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.28%	▲	0.33%	21
	2003	0.24%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	6.7%	▲	10.9%	48
	2004	8.6%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	76.7%	▲	79.6%	85
	2005	79.1%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	77.3	▲	71.1	49
	2003	62.6			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	3.1	▼	5.5	93
	2004	1.6			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$163	▼	\$147	42
	2005	\$168			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	7.5	▼	43.9	17
	2005	11.1			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	11
	2005	55.0%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	9,333
	Total Population, 2005
	9,379
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	46/0.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,632
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.5%
	Percent Female
	57.5%
	Percent Male
	42.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	18.0%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
	Percent Male
	43.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	19.4%
	Percent Female
	53.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	23.7%
	Percent Female
	52.6%
	Percent Male
	47.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	79.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$63,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$31,373
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Montgomery

Population 65+, 2005: **2,111**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.3%**

Composite County Rank: **85**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	41.9% 42.9%	▲	44.3%	71
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.33% 0.34%	▼	0.33%	46
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.8% 7.5%	▲	10.9%	66
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	77.1% 77.1%	↔	79.6%	102
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	97.1 83.4	▲	71.1	91
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.9 2.3	▼	5.5	68
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$262 \$375	▼	\$147	107
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	22.2 21.1	▲	43.9	57
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 48.5%	42.5%	36

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	12,132
	Total Population, 2005
	12,166
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	34/0.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,084
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.2%
	Percent Female
	58.2%
	Percent Male
	41.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.3%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
	Percent Male
	43.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.4%
	Percent Female
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.7%
	Percent Female
	54.7%
	Percent Male
	45.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	54.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$69,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$27,822
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Morgan

Population 65+, 2005: **4,267**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **12.3%**

Composite County Rank: **82**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	43.2% 40.3%	▼	44.3%	83
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.46% 0.41%	▲	0.33%	56
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	4.9% 6.0%	▲	10.9%	93
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.6% 79.3%	▼	79.6%	81
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	44.6 50.7	▼	71.1	27
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.8 1.8	▼	5.5	82
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$167 \$204	▼	\$147	62
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	28.2 32.2	▼	43.9	88
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 51.4%	42.5%	21

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	19,374
	Total Population, 2005
	20,436
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,062/5.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,799
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.6%
	Percent Female
	53.8%
	Percent Male
	46.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.9%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	22.8%
	Percent Female
	54.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	23.4%
	Percent Female
	53.3%
	Percent Male
	46.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	85.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	67.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$76,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	9.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,256
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.8%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

New Madrid

Population 65+, 2005: **2,894**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-4.6%**

Composite County Rank: **102**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	54.6% 53.0%	▼	44.3%	10
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.07% 1.04%	▲	0.33%	104
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.7% 8.7%	▲	10.9%	44
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	67.6% 73.7%	▲	79.6%	112
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	98.3 105.8	▼	71.1	106
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.4 1.6	▼	5.5	93
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$404 \$550	▼	\$147	115
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	16.1 14.3	▲	43.9	30
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 49.8%	42.5%	29

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	19,672
	Total Population, 2005
	18,566
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-1,106/-5.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,034
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.4%
	Percent Female
	61.2%
	Percent Male
	38.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.6%
	Percent Female
	59.0%
	Percent Male
	41.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.7%
	Percent Female
	57.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.2%
	Percent Female
	56.0%
	Percent Male
	44.0%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	55.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$44,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	19.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,302
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.1%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Newton

Population 65+, 2005: **7,682**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.0%**

Composite County Rank: **5**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	52.9% 51.9%	▼	44.3%	14
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.25% 0.25%	↔	0.33%	27
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	10.0% 10.0%	↔	10.9%	19
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.0% 85.0%	▲	79.6%	24
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	70.7 58.1	▲	71.1	39
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	7.9 8.7	▲	5.5	5
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$158 \$162	▼	\$147	40
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	37.6 35.1	▲	43.9	95
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 46.8%	42.5%	54

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	52,744
	Total Population, 2005
	55,554
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	2,810/5.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	7,386
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.0%
	Percent Female
	57.9%
	Percent Male
	42.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.8%
	Percent Female
	56.5%
	Percent Male
	43.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.6%
	Percent Female
	56.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.1%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	65.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$73,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	9.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,282
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	10.2%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Nodaway

Population 65+, 2005: **3,012**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-0.0%**

Composite County Rank: **42**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	39.5%	▼	44.3%	98
	2004	37.1%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.26%	▼	0.33%	34
	2003	0.29%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	10.4%	▲	10.9%	12
	2004	11.5%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	80.5%	▲	79.6%	49
	2005	82.5%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	64.9	▼	71.1	61
	2003	67.5			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	4.2	▼	5.5	30
	2004	4.0			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$106	▼	\$147	38
	2005	\$152			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	15.0	▼	43.9	40
	2005	16.7			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	101
	2005	39.8%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	21,863
	Total Population, 2005
	21,710
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-153/-0.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,013
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.8%
	Percent Female
	58.7%
	Percent Male
	41.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.9%
	Percent Female
	55.0%
	Percent Male
	45.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.1%
	Percent Female
	53.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.8%
	Percent Female
	51.6%
	Percent Male
	48.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	76.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	55.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$73,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,752
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	14.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Oregon

Population 65+, 2005: **1,909**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **2.5%**

Composite County Rank: **111**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	52.7% 50.5%	▼	44.3%	24
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.30% 1.38%	▼	0.33%	111
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	3.5% 4.1%	▲	10.9%	107
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	75.8% 82.3%	▲	79.6%	51
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	70.1 113.8	▼	71.1	110
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.1 1.3	▲	5.5	101
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$239 \$282	▼	\$147	87
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	5.6 2.0	▲	43.9	3
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 40.7%	42.5%	97

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	10,322
	Total Population, 2005
	10,403
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	81/0.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,863
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	18.0%
	Percent Female
	55.9%
	Percent Male
	44.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	18.3%
	Percent Female
	55.9%
	Percent Male
	44.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	20.8%
	Percent Female
	52.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	24.3%
	Percent Female
	53.6%
	Percent Male
	46.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$53,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	20.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$25,150
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	3.8%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Osage

Population 65+, 2005: **2,002**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **5.0%**

Composite County Rank: **55**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	48.4% 47.1%	▼	44.3%	46
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.16% 0.14%	▲	0.33%	6
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.5% 7.8%	▲	10.9%	61
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	73.7% 76.8%	▲	79.6%	104
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	48.7 72.2	▼	71.1	72
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.5 1.5	↔	5.5	96
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$153 \$168	▼	\$147	43
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	10.5 13.1	▼	43.9	23
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 46.2%	42.5%	62

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,081
	Total Population, 2005
	13,485
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	404/3.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,906
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.6%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
	Percent Male
	42.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.8%
	Percent Female
	53.6%
	Percent Male
	46.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	53.8%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.2%
	Percent Female
	51.7%
	Percent Male
	48.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	85.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$84,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	10.4%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,977
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.6%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Ozark

Population 65+, 2005: **2,061**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **10.9%**

Composite County Rank: **107**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	45.7%	▲	44.3%	53
	2004	45.9%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	1.12%	▲	0.33%	106
	2003	1.06%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	3.0%	▼	10.9%	114
	2004	2.2%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	83.0%	▼	79.6%	45
	2005	82.8%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	28.6	▼	71.1	5
	2003	33.3			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	0.5	▲	5.5	107
	2004	1.0			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$197	▼	\$147	54
	2005	\$198			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	22.0	▲	43.9	16
	2005	10.7			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	106
	2005	38.4%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	9,537
	Total Population, 2005
	9,490
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-47/-0.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,858
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.5%
	Percent Female
	51.7%
	Percent Male
	48.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	21.7%
	Percent Female
	52.0%
	Percent Male
	48.0%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	23.0%
	Percent Female
	52.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	25.7%
	Percent Female
	52.1%
	Percent Male
	47.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	85.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	67.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$63,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	17.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,731
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.4%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Pemiscot

Population 65+, 2005: **2,785**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-5.8%**

Composite County Rank: **114**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	51.9%	▲	44.3%	13
	2004	52.2%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	1.94%	▲	0.33%	115
	2003	1.79%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	8.1%	▲	10.9%	45
	2004	8.7%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	70.5%	▲	79.6%	110
	2005	75.8%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	128.0	▼	71.1	114
	2003	149.0			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	5.5	▼	5.5	30
	2004	4.0			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$393	▼	\$147	112
	2005	\$469			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	43.8	▲	43.9	102
	2005	40.3			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	44
	2005	47.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	20,027
	Total Population, 2005
	19,412
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-615/-3.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,957
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.8%
	Percent Female
	61.9%
	Percent Male
	38.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.3%
	Percent Female
	62.7%
	Percent Male
	37.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.1%
	Percent Female
	60.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	39.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.0%
	Percent Female
	56.3%
	Percent Male
	43.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	72.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	54.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$41,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	23.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,198
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.5%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Perry

Population 65+, 2005: **2,919**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **2.9%**

Composite County Rank: **48**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	44.4%	▲	44.3%	54
	2004	45.8%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.29%	↔	0.33%	33
	2003	0.29%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	9.8%	▲	10.9%	17
	2004	10.5%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	79.4%	▲	79.6%	80
	2005	79.5%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	75.3	▼	71.1	89
	2003	81.1			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.2	▲	5.5	60
	2004	2.7			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$177	▼	\$147	74
	2005	\$229			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	23.4	▲	43.9	36
	2005	15.8			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	87
	2005	42.4%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	18,151
	Total Population, 2005
	18,571
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	420/2.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,838
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.6%
	Percent Female
	58.2%
	Percent Male
	41.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.7%
	Percent Female
	57.6%
	Percent Male
	42.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	55.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.8%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	87.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	58.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$80,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	13.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,247
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.5%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Pettis

Population 65+, 2005: **6,082**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.3%**

Composite County Rank: **52**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	43.2% 43.8%	▲	44.3%	67
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.45% 0.45%	↔	0.33%	62
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	10.2% 11.2%	▲	10.9%	15
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.4% 81.7%	▲	79.6%	59
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	77.1 80.8	▼	71.1	88
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.0 3.4	▲	5.5	42
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$125 \$171	▼	\$147	46
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	51.3 52.6	▼	43.9	110
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 53.9%	42.5%	13

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	39,447
	Total Population, 2005
	40,121
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	674/1.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	6,065
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.4%
	Percent Female
	59.6%
	Percent Male
	40.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.2%
	Percent Female
	58.6%
	Percent Male
	41.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	57.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.0%
	Percent Female
	55.5%
	Percent Male
	44.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$67,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	10.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,995
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	9.6%
	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Phelps

Population 65+, 2005: **5,902**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **6.3%**

Composite County Rank: **77**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	47.0% 45.0%	▼	44.3%	59
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.51% 0.52%	▼	0.33%	72
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.9% 10.0%	▲	10.9%	20
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	75.5% 77.7%	▲	79.6%	101
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	91.1 65.1	▲	71.1	56
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	6.1 6.2	▲	5.5	12
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$116 \$151	▼	\$147	37
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	37.2 49.1	▼	43.9	109
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 41.2%	42.5%	95

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	39,881
	Total Population, 2005
	42,125
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	2,244/5.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,550
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.9%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
	Percent Male
	42.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.0%
	Percent Female
	56.8%
	Percent Male
	43.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.6%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.3%
	Percent Female
	55.3%
	Percent Male
	44.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	75.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$72,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,127
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	11.1%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Pike

Population 65+, 2005: **2,690**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-1.7%**

Composite County Rank: **73**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	42.7% 43.5%	▲	44.3%	68
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.41% 0.43%	▼	0.33%	60
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.7% 10.3%	▲	10.9%	18
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	72.5% 81.2%	▲	79.6%	68
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	114.6 110.5	▲	71.1	109
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.0 2.3	▼	5.5	68
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$198 \$178	▲	\$147	48
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	18.5 15.9	▲	43.9	37
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 45.5%	42.5%	71

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	18,321
	Total Population, 2005
	18,762
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	441/2.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,736
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.9%
	Percent Female
	57.6%
	Percent Male
	42.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.3%
	Percent Female
	56.1%
	Percent Male
	43.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	54.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.9%
	Percent Female
	51.7%
	Percent Male
	48.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	57.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$68,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	15.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,095
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.6%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Platte

Population 65+, 2005: **7,866**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **20.1%**

Composite County Rank: **4**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	51.6% 49.7%	▼	44.3%	29
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.06% 0.04%	▲	0.33%	1
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	11.9% 13.2%	▲	10.9%	7
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.4% 81.9%	▲	79.6%	56
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	37.5 45.8	▼	71.1	20
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	4.8 4.7	▼	5.5	21
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$64 \$43	▲	\$147	2
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	14.1 13.9	▲	43.9	26
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 43.5%	42.5%	79

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	74,205
	Total Population, 2005
	82,085
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	7,880/10.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	6,548
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	8.8%
	Percent Female
	57.5%
	Percent Male
	42.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	9.6%
	Percent Female
	55.8%
	Percent Male
	44.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	12.1%
	Percent Female
	54.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	16.5%
	Percent Female
	54.0%
	Percent Male
	46.0%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	74.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$127,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	5.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$42,087
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	14.3%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	36.0%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	41.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.0%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	22.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.2%
	No Mammography, 2004
	43.6%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	61.5%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Polk

Population 65+, 2005: **4,515**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **9.3%**

Composite County Rank: **84**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	49.9%	▼	44.3%	38
	2004	48.1%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.57%	▼	0.33%	79
	2003	0.58%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	4.7%	▲	10.9%	97
	2004	5.6%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	71.4%	▲	79.6%	82
	2005	79.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	75.2	▲	71.1	70
	2003	71.1			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.7	▲	5.5	34
	2004	3.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$149	▼	\$147	57
	2005	\$199			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	25.0	▼	43.9	80
	2005	28.7			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	75
	2005	44.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	27,075
	Total Population, 2005
	28,892
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,817/6.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,132
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.3%
	Percent Female
	56.9%
	Percent Male
	43.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.6%
	Percent Female
	56.6%
	Percent Male
	43.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.1%
	Percent Female
	56.2%
	Percent Male
	43.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.0%
Health and Wellness	Percent Female
	54.4%
	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.1%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	65.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$77,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.0%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,431
Health and Wellness	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.8%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Pulaski

Population 65+, 2005: **3,490**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **7.0%**

Composite County Rank: **13**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	53.5% 53.3%	▼	44.3%	9
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.34% 0.31%	▲	0.33%	37
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.5% 8.7%	▲	10.9%	42
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	77.2% 79.9%	▲	79.6%	78
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	83.8 63.0	▲	71.1	51
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	5.0 4.8	▼	5.5	20
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$78 \$93	▼	\$147	9
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	19.1 19.0	▲	43.9	48
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 46.4%	42.5%	58

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	41,762
	Total Population, 2005
	44,187
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	2,425/5.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,262
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	7.8%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
	Percent Male
	42.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	7.9%
	Percent Female
	58.4%
	Percent Male
	41.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	9.0%
	Percent Female
	57.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	12.3%
	Percent Female
	56.3%
	Percent Male
	43.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	84.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$70,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,884
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.6%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Putnam

Population 65+, 2005: **993**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-7.8%**

Composite County Rank: **29**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	36.2% 38.9%	▲	44.3%	91
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.87% 0.72%	▲	0.33%	92
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	4.8% 6.0%	▲	10.9%	94
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	82.0% 88.6%	▲	79.6%	6
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	24.8 50.9	▼	71.1	28
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.4 1.0	▼	5.5	107
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$133 \$200	▼	\$147	58
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	10.9 3.9	▲	43.9	4
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 54.8%	42.5%	12

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	5,243
	Total Population, 2005
	5,168
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-75/-1.4%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,077
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	20.5%
	Percent Female
	59.2%
	Percent Male
	40.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	19.2%
	Percent Female
	57.9%
	Percent Male
	42.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	21.5%
	Percent Female
	54.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	23.3%
	Percent Female
	51.4%
	Percent Male
	48.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.5%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$47,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$21,585
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.6%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Ralls

Population 65+, 2005: **1,442**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **6.3%**

Composite County Rank: **6**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	48.7%	▼	44.3%	42
	2004	47.6%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.20%	▼	0.33%	17
	2003	0.23%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	6.2%	▲	10.9%	63
	2004	7.6%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	79.6%	▲	79.6%	13
	2005	86.4%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	46.1	▼	71.1	64
	2003	68.5			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.2	▼	5.5	101
	2004	1.3			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$140	▲	\$147	18
	2005	\$112			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	17.1	▲	43.9	22
	2005	12.9			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	5
	2005	63.2%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	9,665
	Total Population, 2005
	9,761
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	96/1.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,357
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.0%
	Percent Female
	54.2%
	Percent Male
	45.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.8%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.1%
	Percent Female
	52.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.4%
	Percent Female
	48.7%
	Percent Male
	51.3%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	89.1%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	65.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$69,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	10.7%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,075
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Randolph

Population 65+, 2005: **3,580**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-2.2%**

Composite County Rank: **54**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	45.6% 47.1%	▲	44.3%	45
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.63% 0.62%	▲	0.33%	82
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	9.2% 10.0%	▲	10.9%	21
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	77.3% 79.7%	▲	79.6%	79
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	72.3 60.9	▲	71.1	47
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	4.4 4.5	▲	5.5	23
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$193 \$221	▼	\$147	70
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	39.6 32.6	▲	43.9	91
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 43.2%	42.5%	82

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	24,667
	Total Population, 2005
	25,336
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	669/2.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,660
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.8%
	Percent Female
	59.4%
	Percent Male
	40.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.1%
	Percent Female
	58.6%
	Percent Male
	41.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	14.8%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.9%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	54.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$52,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,104
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.4%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Ray

Population 65+, 2005: **3,164**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **5.6%**

Composite County Rank: **28**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	51.9% 50.1%	▼	44.3%	25
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.17% 0.15%	▲	0.33%	8
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.6% 7.6%	↔	10.9%	64
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	83.1% 84.1%	▲	79.6%	31
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	76.7 73.8	▲	71.1	77
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.7 1.8	▼	5.5	82
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$90 \$150	▼	\$147	36
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	23.7 22.9	▲	43.9	61
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 45.5%	42.5%	70

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	23,388
	Total Population, 2005
	24,101
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	713/3.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,997
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	12.8%
	Percent Female
	57.0%
	Percent Male
	43.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.1%
	Percent Female
	55.4%
	Percent Male
	44.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	14.7%
	Percent Female
	53.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.2%
	Percent Female
	54.0%
	Percent Male
	46.0%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	68.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$85,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	7.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$38,656
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.4%
	No Exercise, 2005
	36.0%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	41.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	55.0%
	Obesity, 2005
	22.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.2%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	43.6%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	61.5%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Reynolds

Population 65+, 2005: **1,178**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **8.2%**

Composite County Rank: **95**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	56.2% 53.9%	▼	44.3%	7
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.10% 1.01%	▲	0.33%	101
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	3.9% 5.0%	▲	10.9%	101
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.1% 82.7%	▲	79.6%	46
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	127.0 239.3	▼	71.1	115
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.8 2.3	▼	5.5	68
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$207 \$337	▼	\$147	100
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	10.2 6.7	▲	43.9	6
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 73.5%	42.5%	1

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	6,740
	Total Population, 2005
	6,585
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-155/-2.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,088
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	54.2%
	Percent Male
	45.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.9%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	22.4%
	Percent Female
	51.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	48.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	29.1%
	Percent Female
	52.4%
	Percent Male
	47.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	66.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$52,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	15.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$23,850
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.3%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Ripley

Population 65+, 2005: **2,378**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.8%**

Composite County Rank: **112**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	51.5% 51.6%	▲	44.3%	15
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.47% 1.46%	▲	0.33%	112
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	3.1% 3.7%	▲	10.9%	110
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.6% 84.7%	▲	79.6%	27
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	88.2 114.3	▼	71.1	111
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.6 2.9	▲	5.5	53
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$262 \$398	▼	\$147	110
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	19.3 26.8	▼	43.9	72
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 42.7%	42.5%	85

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,500
	Total Population, 2005
	13,851
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	351/2.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,336
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.3%
	Percent Female
	55.4%
	Percent Male
	44.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.2%
	Percent Female
	54.5%
	Percent Male
	45.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.8%
	Percent Female
	52.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.0%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$46,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	20.4%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,943
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.3%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

St. Charles

Population 65+, 2005: **32,402**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **28.7%**

Composite County Rank: **18**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	54.9% 52.6%	▼	44.3%	12
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.08% 0.08%	↔	0.33%	2
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	9.1% 9.5%	▲	10.9%	27
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.3% 80.2%	▲	79.6%	75
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	61.3 59.0	▲	71.1	43
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	5.2 5.3	▲	5.5	16
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$40 \$41	▼	\$147	1
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	27.4 24.4	▲	43.9	66
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 37.3%	42.5%	110

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	286,222
	Total Population, 2005
	329,940
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	43,718/15.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	25,168
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	8.8%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
	Percent Male
	41.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	9.8%
	Percent Female
	56.3%
	Percent Male
	43.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	11.8%
	Percent Female
	55.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	44.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	16.7%
	Percent Female
	54.8%
	Percent Male
	45.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	67.3%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$122,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	5.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$42,742
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	10.1%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.1%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	38.8%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	52.5%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	17.6%
	Smoking, 2005
	8.5%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	34.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	52.6%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

St. Clair

Population 65+, 2005: **2,085**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.3%**

Composite County Rank: **86**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	38.2% 34.2%	▼	44.3%	108
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.62% 0.68%	▼	0.33%	87
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	5.7% 6.1%	▲	10.9%	91
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	80.6% 85.7%	▲	79.6%	16
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	74.6 58.5	▲	71.1	41
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.3 3.9	▲	5.5	33
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$180 \$279	▼	\$147	84
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	19.7 28.6	▼	43.9	79
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 46.5%	42.5%	57

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	9,688
	Total Population, 2005
	9,686
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-2/-0.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,057
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	21.2%
	Percent Female
	55.5%
	Percent Male
	44.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	21.5%
	Percent Female
	53.1%
	Percent Male
	46.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	24.5%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	28.0%
	Percent Female
	53.1%
	Percent Male
	46.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.4%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$58,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	17.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,385
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.1%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	46.5%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Ste. Genevieve

Population 65+, 2005: **2,675**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **3.0%**

Composite County Rank: **14**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	50.5% 50.6%	▲	44.3%	22
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.25% 0.25%	↔	0.33%	25
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.9% 7.4%	▼	10.9%	67
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	74.0% 81.2%	▲	79.6%	67
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	100.1 52.2	▲	71.1	31
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.4 3.4	↔	5.5	42
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$114 \$133	▼	\$147	27
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	14.4 12.6	▲	43.9	20
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 47.3%	42.5%	47

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	17,913
	Total Population, 2005
	18,198
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	285/1.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,597
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.5%
	Percent Female
	54.6%
	Percent Male
	45.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.7%
	Percent Female
	51.6%
	Percent Male
	48.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.5%
	Percent Female
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	49.5%
	Percent Male
	50.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$84,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	7.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,667
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	3.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

St. Francois

Population 65+, 2005: **8,936**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **7.3%**

Composite County Rank: **108**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	48.7% 49.0%	▲	44.3%	33
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.78% 0.79%	▼	0.33%	94
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	5.9% 6.9%	▲	10.9%	74
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.4% 78.3%	▼	79.6%	91
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	90.9 108.9	▼	71.1	108
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	4.6 4.9	▲	5.5	18
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$176 \$201	▼	\$147	61
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	30.1 26.4	▲	43.9	70
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 38.7%	42.5%	105

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	55,769
	Total Population, 2005
	61,661
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	5,892/10.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	8,325
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.9%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
	Percent Male
	41.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.5%
	Percent Female
	58.2%
	Percent Male
	41.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.4%
	Percent Female
	57.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.6%
	Percent Female
	54.3%
	Percent Male
	45.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	61.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$67,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	11.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,500
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.8%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

St. Louis

Population 65+, 2005: **143,897**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.4%**

Composite County Rank: **22**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	40.7%	▼	44.3%	86
	2004	39.8%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.14%	↔	0.33%	5
	2003	0.14%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	11.9%	▲	10.9%	6
	2004	13.6%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	79.7%	▲	79.6%	66
	2005	81.3%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	59.1	▼	71.1	54
	2003	64.2			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	6.5	▲	5.5	9
	2004	7.2			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$97	▼	\$147	20
	2005	\$123			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	38.0	▲	43.9	92
	2005	33.6			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	108
	2005	37.9%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	1016424
	Total Population, 2005
	1004666
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-11758/-1.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	143,368
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	14.1%
	Percent Female
	60.4%
	Percent Male
	39.6%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	14.3%
	Percent Female
	59.3%
	Percent Male
	40.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.0%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.5%
	Percent Female
	56.9%
	Percent Male
	43.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$114,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	5.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$51,093
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	19.1%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.1%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	38.8%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	52.5%
	Obesity, 2005
	17.6%
	Smoking, 2005
	8.5%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	34.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	52.6%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Saline

Population 65+, 2005: **3,642**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-5.4%**

Composite County Rank: **39**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	38.6% 37.9%	▼	44.3%	94
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.38% 0.41%	▼	0.33%	57
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	9.8% 11.3%	▲	10.9%	14
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.2% 81.4%	▲	79.6%	63
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	66.0 86.6	▼	71.1	94
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	4.8 3.9	▼	5.5	33
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$179 \$224	▼	\$147	73
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	19.3 19.3	↔	43.9	52
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 50.4%	42.5%	25

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	23,741
	Total Population, 2005
	23,075
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-666/-2.8%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,851
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.2%
	Percent Female
	60.7%
	Percent Male
	39.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.8%
	Percent Female
	59.6%
	Percent Male
	40.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.9%
	Percent Female
	57.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.2%
	Percent Female
	53.0%
	Percent Male
	47.0%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	52.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$62,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	8.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$35,512
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Schuyler

Population 65+, 2005: **858**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.1%**

Composite County Rank: **31**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	44.3%	▼	44.3%	90
	2004	38.9%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.60%	▼	0.33%	86
	2003	0.68%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.2%	▼	10.9%	109
	2004	3.9%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	82.1%	▲	79.6%	32
	2005	84.1%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	85.0	▲	71.1	59
	2003	66.6			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.3	▼	5.5	75
	2004	2.1			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$241	▼	\$147	77
	2005	\$247			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	9.8	▲	43.9	2
	2005	1.6			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	3
	2005	63.5%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	4,173
	Total Population, 2005
	4,308
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	135/3.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	824
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.7%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
	Percent Male
	41.1%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	19.9%
	Percent Female
	54.8%
	Percent Male
	45.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	21.7%
	Percent Female
	54.3%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.7%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	25.3%
	Percent Female
	51.8%
	Percent Male
	48.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	73.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	58.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$52,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	17.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,704
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	3.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Scotland

Population 65+, 2005: **819**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-12.8%**

Composite County Rank: **19**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	32.8% 33.3%	▲	44.3%	110
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.36% 0.31%	▲	0.33%	38
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.4% 8.9%	▲	10.9%	37
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	81.4% 91.2%	▲	79.6%	2
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	46.3 87.3	▼	71.1	95
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.9 4.1	▲	5.5	26
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$323 \$344	▼	\$147	104
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	8.6 11.4	▼	43.9	18
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		—	42.5%	26
	2005	50.2%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	4,977
	Total Population, 2005
	4,928
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-49/-1.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	939
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	18.9%
	Percent Female
	60.1%
	Percent Male
	39.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
	Percent Male
	41.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.8%
	Percent Female
	58.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	41.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.6%
	Percent Female
	51.4%
	Percent Male
	48.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.5%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.4%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$49,100
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,540
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.7%
	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Scott

Population 65+, 2005: **5,570**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.9%**

Composite County Rank: **67**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	52.8% 51.4%	▼	44.3%	18
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.77% 0.81%	▼	0.33%	95
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	8.0% 8.6%	▲	10.9%	46
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	89.8% 83.4%	▼	79.6%	40
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	109.4 106.0	▲	71.1	107
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.4 4.8	▲	5.5	20
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$226 \$281	▼	\$147	86
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	32.4 32.4	↔	43.9	89
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 45.2%	42.5%	72

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	40,391
	Total Population, 2005
	41,143
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	752/1.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,521
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.7%
	Percent Female
	61.8%
	Percent Male
	38.2%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.5%
	Percent Female
	59.1%
	Percent Male
	40.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	14.5%
	Percent Female
	57.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.6%
	Percent Female
	55.9%
	Percent Male
	44.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.6%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	60.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$63,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$27,982
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Shannon

Population 65+, 2005: **1,263**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.5%**

Composite County Rank: **90**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	52.4% 51.5%	▼	44.3%	17
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.05% 1.03%	▲	0.33%	102
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	3.2% 3.3%	▲	10.9%	111
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	73.4% 85.3%	▲	79.6%	18
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	76.7 71.7	▲	71.1	71
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.4 0.5	▼	5.5	114
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$159 \$223	▼	\$147	72
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	8.3 10.3	▼	43.9	12
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 44.7%	42.5%	74

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	8,323
	Total Population, 2005
	8,367
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	44/0.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,257
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	15.1%
	Percent Female
	56.0%
	Percent Male
	44.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.1%
	Percent Female
	52.2%
	Percent Male
	47.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.3%
	Percent Female
	49.7%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	50.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.3%
	Percent Female
	50.1%
	Percent Male
	49.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.3%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.5%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$46,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	20.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$21,876
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.9%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Shelby

Population 65+, 2005: **1,264**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-5.0%**

Composite County Rank: **11**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	36.5% 35.2%	▼	44.3%	107
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.32% 0.33%	▼	0.33%	41
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	9.2% 9.6%	▲	10.9%	25
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	85.7% 82.8%	▼	79.6%	44
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	67.4 51.9	▲	71.1	30
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.3 1.6	▼	5.5	93
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$225 \$322	▼	\$147	97
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	12.8 10.2	▲	43.9	11
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 63.4%	42.5%	4

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	6,787
	Total Population, 2005
	6,744
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-43/-0.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,330
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.6%
	Percent Female
	62.2%
	Percent Male
	37.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	18.7%
	Percent Female
	58.2%
	Percent Male
	41.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	20.4%
	Percent Female
	56.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	24.2%
	Percent Female
	53.4%
	Percent Male
	46.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	54.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$49,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	14.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$34,302
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.7%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Stoddard

Population 65+, 2005: **5,145**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **0.4%**

Composite County Rank: **59**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	50.1% 48.6%	▼	44.3%	35
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.79% 0.72%	▲	0.33%	91
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.9% 7.8%	▲	10.9%	60
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.4% 83.0%	▲	79.6%	43
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	85.8 76.9	▲	71.1	83
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.5 2.7	▲	5.5	60
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$237 \$341	▼	\$147	103
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	17.2 19.6	▼	43.9	54
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 45.8%	42.5%	67

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	29,704
	Total Population, 2005
	29,714
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	10/0.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,125
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.3%
	Percent Female
	60.0%
	Percent Male
	40.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.3%
	Percent Female
	58.7%
	Percent Male
	41.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.9%
	Percent Female
	57.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	42.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.3%
	Percent Female
	57.2%
	Percent Male
	42.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	59.1%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$56,800
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	17.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,934
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.6%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Stone

Population 65+, 2005: **6,497**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **19.1%**

Composite County Rank: **30**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	43.0% 41.5%	▼	44.3%	76
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.26% 0.25%	▲	0.33%	23
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	3.7% 4.5%	▲	10.9%	104
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	84.9% 89.4%	▲	79.6%	3
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	36.0 34.8	▲	71.1	7
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.4 1.3	▼	5.5	101
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$95 \$109	▼	\$147	15
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	41.6 37.9	▲	43.9	100
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 52.8%	42.5%	15

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	28,739
	Total Population, 2005
	30,931
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	2,192/7.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	5,455
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.0%
	Percent Female
	53.0%
	Percent Male
	47.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	52.8%
	Percent Male
	47.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	24.0%
	Percent Female
	53.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	26.6%
	Percent Female
	54.2%
	Percent Male
	45.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	89.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	72.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$90,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	8.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$39,894
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	12.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Sullivan

Population 65+, 2005: **1,183**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-10.9%**

Composite County Rank: **78**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	43.7%	▼	44.3%	74
	2004	42.0%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.53%	↔	0.33%	74
	2003	0.53%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	6.3%	▲	10.9%	77
	2004	6.8%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	72.5%	▲	79.6%	72
	2005	80.6%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	47.7	▼	71.1	42
	2003	58.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.3	▲	5.5	53
	2004	2.9			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$310	▼	\$147	96
	2005	\$319			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	10.9	▼	43.9	35
	2005	15.2			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	91
	2005	41.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	7,218
	Total Population, 2005
	6,907
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-311/-4.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	1,328
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	18.4%
	Percent Female
	58.1%
	Percent Male
	41.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.1%
	Percent Female
	54.2%
	Percent Male
	45.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.1%
	Percent Female
	53.4%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.6%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	22.6%
	Percent Female
	52.5%
	Percent Male
	47.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	77.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.9%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$47,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	20.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$23,976
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	5.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	35.5%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	53.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	58.2%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.8%
	Smoking, 2005
	11.9%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	57.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Taney

Population 65+, 2005: **7,129**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **10.3%**

Composite County Rank: **3**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	42.8% 41.0%	▼	44.3%	78
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.30% 0.29%	▲	0.33%	32
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	17.9% 21.0%	▲	10.9%	1
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	85.0% 92.0%	▲	79.6%	1
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	31.1 59.4	▼	71.1	44
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	3.9 5.4	▲	5.5	15
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$91 \$110	▼	\$147	16
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	47.3 48.7	▼	43.9	108
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 49.8%	42.5%	30

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	39,917
	Total Population, 2005
	42,985
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	3,068/7.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	6,463
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.2%
	Percent Female
	54.2%
	Percent Male
	45.8%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	17.4%
	Percent Female
	54.6%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.7%
	Percent Female
	54.1%
	Percent Male
	45.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.8%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	67.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$81,000
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	8.8%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$37,995
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	10.1%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Texas

Population 65+, 2005: **4,190**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **1.6%**

Composite County Rank: **65**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	47.9%	▼	44.3%	47
	2004	46.9%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	0.88%	▼	0.33%	99
	2003	0.94%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	4.4%	▲	10.9%	102
	2004	4.9%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	78.6%	▲	79.6%	20
	2005	85.2%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	62.3	▼	71.1	79
	2003	74.8			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	2.2	▲	5.5	60
	2004	2.7			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$181	▼	\$147	55
	2005	\$198			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	20.6	▲	43.9	53
	2005	19.5			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	20
	2005	51.6%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	23,007
	Total Population, 2005
	24,614
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	1,607/7.0%
	Population 65+, 2000
	4,125
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	17.9%
	Percent Female
	57.0%
	Percent Male
	43.0%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	17.0%
	Percent Female
	56.6%
	Percent Male
	43.4%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.3%
	Percent Female
	54.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	20.8%
	Percent Female
	53.4%
	Percent Male
	46.6%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	80.9%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$62,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	17.2%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,863
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	7.8%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Vernon

Population 65+, 2005: **3,225**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-3.2%**

Composite County Rank: **101**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	42.8% 43.3%	▲	44.3%	70
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.66% 0.71%	▼	0.33%	90
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.4% 7.2%	▲	10.9%	70
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	78.8% 81.8%	▲	79.6%	58
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	70.9 73.3	▼	71.1	74
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.8 3.1	▲	5.5	47
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$231 \$297	▼	\$147	91
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	46.0 46.4	▼	43.9	106
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		—	42.5%	66
	2005	45.8%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	20,417
	Total Population, 2005
	20,441
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	24/0.1%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,330
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.3%
	Percent Female
	58.3%
	Percent Male
	41.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	15.8%
	Percent Female
	56.9%
	Percent Male
	43.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	16.6%
	Percent Female
	56.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	19.5%
	Percent Female
	54.1%
	Percent Male
	45.9%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	56.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$61,400
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	13.3%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$30,664
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	8.6%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Warren

Population 65+, 2005: **3,825**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **19.5%**

Composite County Rank: **20**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	49.5% 49.7%	▲	44.3%	28
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.15% 0.14%	▲	0.33%	7
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	7.3% 7.0%	▼	10.9%	73
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	83.1% 84.3%	▲	79.6%	30
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	65.4 45.0	▲	71.1	17
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.8 1.4	▼	5.5	97
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$40 \$45	▼	\$147	3
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	27.4 24.3	▲	43.9	65
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 46.4%	42.5%	59

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	24,737
	Total Population, 2005
	28,764
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	4,027/16.3%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,200
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	12.9%
	Percent Female
	55.5%
	Percent Male
	44.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	13.3%
	Percent Female
	54.7%
	Percent Male
	45.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	15.0%
	Percent Female
	54.8%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	18.2%
	Percent Female
	53.3%
	Percent Male
	46.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	86.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	67.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$101,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	10.4%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$41,160
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.1%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	38.8%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	52.5%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	17.6%
	Smoking, 2005
	8.5%
	No Mammography, 2004
	34.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	52.6%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Washington

Population 65+, 2005: **2,939**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **7.5%**

Composite County Rank: **88**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	58.5% 58.1%	▼	44.3%	1
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.13% 1.11%	▲	0.33%	107
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	4.6% 5.2%	▲	10.9%	99
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	73.5% 77.7%	▲	79.6%	99
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	86.5 90.0	▼	71.1	98
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	2.4 2.2	▼	5.5	72
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$170 \$279	▼	\$147	83
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	20.2 17.2	▲	43.9	41
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 49.8%	42.5%	28

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	23,432
	Total Population, 2005
	24,032
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	600/2.6%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,735
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	11.7%
	Percent Female
	54.7%
	Percent Male
	45.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	12.2%
	Percent Female
	53.2%
	Percent Male
	46.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	14.1%
	Percent Female
	53.1%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.9%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	17.9%
	Percent Female
	52.5%
	Percent Male
	47.5%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	85.0%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	64.6%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$49,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	12.9%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$33,186
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.9%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	32.7%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	42.6%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	54.7%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	20.9%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.8%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.1%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Wayne

Population 65+, 2005: **2,732**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **3.8%**

Composite County Rank: **110**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	50.1%	▼	44.3%	31
	2004	49.6%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	1.46%	▼	0.33%	113
	2003	1.49%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	2.8%	▼	10.9%	112
	2004	2.7%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	70.3%	▲	79.6%	69
	2005	80.9%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	69.3	▲	71.1	34
	2003	55.0			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	1.5	▼	5.5	101
	2004	1.3			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$266	▼	\$147	106
	2005	\$374			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	27.1	▲	43.9	24
	2005	13.5			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	68
	2005	45.7%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	13,260
	Total Population, 2005
	13,097
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-163/-1.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,633
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	19.9%
	Percent Female
	54.1%
	Percent Male
	45.9%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	20.9%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	23.1%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	25.1%
	Percent Female
	53.2%
	Percent Male
	46.8%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	82.9%
	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.7%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$41,200
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	15.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$24,391
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	3.7%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Webster

Population 65+, 2005: **4,231**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **18.2%**

Composite County Rank: **27**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	57.0% 55.8%	▼	44.3%	2
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.50% 0.52%	▼	0.33%	71
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	4.1% 4.9%	▲	10.9%	103
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	77.9% 78.5%	▲	79.6%	89
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	36.3 32.8	▲	71.1	4
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.7 1.6	▼	5.5	93
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$118 \$131	▼	\$147	26
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	23.0 19.3	▲	43.9	50
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 50.2%	42.5%	27

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	31,253
	Total Population, 2005
	34,745
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	3,492/11.2%
	Population 65+, 2000
	3,579
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	11.5%
	Percent Female
	56.7%
	Percent Male
	43.3%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	12.2%
	Percent Female
	54.7%
	Percent Male
	45.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	13.4%
	Percent Female
	54.2%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	45.8%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	16.1%
	Percent Female
	53.8%
	Percent Male
	46.2%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	81.7%
Quality of Life	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	62.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$81,900
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	14.1%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$28,304
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.5%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	34.2%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	48.1%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.9%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	26.2%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	46.5%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	58.4%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Worth

Population 65+, 2005: **490**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-7.0%**

Composite County Rank: **12**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	31.7% 32.4%	▲	44.3%	113
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	0.39% 0.40%	▼	0.33%	54
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	6.9% 6.7%	▼	10.9%	79
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	79.5% 86.9%	▲	79.6%	11
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	69.4 63.8	▲	71.1	53
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	1.4 3.0	▲	5.5	50
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$180 \$250	▼	\$147	78
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	11.6 18.4	▼	43.9	45
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 70.2%	42.5%	2

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	2,377
	Total Population, 2005
	2,174
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	-203/-8.5%
	Population 65+, 2000
	527
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	22.2%
	Percent Female
	57.5%
	Percent Male
	42.5%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	22.5%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	22.2%
	Percent Female
	53.5%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	46.5%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	26.1%
	Percent Female
	48.6%
	Percent Male
	51.4%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	83.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	61.8%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$34,300
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
	11.5%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$29,391
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	6.0%
Health and Wellness	No Exercise, 2005
	43.8%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	47.0%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	56.6%
	Obesity, 2005
Health and Wellness	24.1%
	Smoking, 2005
	7.3%
	No Mammography, 2004
	53.3%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	49.8%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

Wright

Population 65+, 2005: **3,093**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **4.4%**

Composite County Rank: **61**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000	50.6%	▲	44.3%	16
	2004	51.6%			
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001	1.20%	▲	0.33%	109
	2003	1.16%			
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001	5.3%	▲	10.9%	82
	2004	6.5%			
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001	78.4%	▲	79.6%	55
	2005	82.0%			
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000	48.1	▲	71.1	10
	2003	38.7			
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000	1.9	▼	5.5	82
	2004	1.8			
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002	\$195	▼	\$147	71
	2005	\$222			
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001	16.7	▲	43.9	28
	2005	14.1			
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available)		-	42.5%	69
	2005	45.6%			

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	17,965
	Total Population, 2005
	18,306
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	341/1.9%
	Population 65+, 2000
	2,962
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	16.5%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
	Percent Male
	42.7%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	16.9%
	Percent Female
	57.9%
	Percent Male
	42.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	18.9%
	Percent Female
	56.8%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	43.2%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	21.0%
	Percent Female
	54.9%
	Percent Male
	45.1%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	78.7%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	63.0%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$65,600
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	17.6%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$24,049
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	4.6%
	No Exercise, 2005
	33.4%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	60.4%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
Health and Wellness	55.6%
	Obesity, 2005
	24.4%
	Smoking, 2005
	10.0%
Health and Wellness	No Mammography, 2004
	51.9%
Health and Wellness	High Cholesterol, 2005
	53.0%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

** Not included in composite county rank

St. Louis City

Population 65+, 2005: **43,107**

Percent Change 65+, 2000-2005: **-9.1%**

Composite County Rank: **115**

Outcome Indicators

	Year	Measure	Trend	State Measure	County Rank
Household Composition					
Seniors Filing Missouri Joint Income Tax Returns	2000 2004	34.4% 35.3%	▲	44.3%	106
Economic Well-being					
SSI Payments as Percent of Total Personal Income	2001 2003	1.01% 1.01%	↔	0.33%	100
Workforce Participation					
Percent of Seniors Working for Pay	2001 2004	14.6% 16.9%	▲	10.9%	3
Transportation					
Percent of All Seniors with Missouri Driver's License	2001 2005	54.8% 54.8%	↔	79.6%	115
Health Status *					
Hospitalizations & ER Visits for Diabetes per 10,000 Seniors	2000 2003	118.1 116.0	▲	71.1	112
Health Care Access					
Primary Care Physicians per 1,000 Seniors	2000 2004	8.2 11.3	▲	5.5	2
Long Term Care **					
Medicaid Costs for Long Term Care per Capita	2002 2005	\$168 \$167	▲	\$147	41
Crime					
Property & Violent Crime per 1,000 Persons	2001 2005	153.3 133.6	▲	43.9	115
Senior Participation					
Social and Civic Engagement Index for Seniors	(Trend data not available) 2005		— 40.6%	42.5%	98

Status Indicators

	Measure
Demographics	Total Population, 2000
	346,795
	Total Population, 2005
	352,572
	Total Population Change/%, 2000-2005
	5,777/1.7%
	Population 65+, 2000
	47,408
	Percent of Population 65+, 2000
	13.7%
	Percent Female
	64.6%
	Percent Male
	35.4%
Quality of Life	Percent of Population 65+, 2005
	12.2%
	Percent Female
	63.7%
	Percent Male
	36.3%
	Population Projections 65+, 2010
	12.5%
	Percent Female
	61.9%
Health and Wellness	Percent Male
	38.1%
	Population Projections 65+, 2020
	15.4%
	Percent Female
	57.3%
	Percent Male
	42.7%
	Senior Owner-Occupied Housing, 2000
	61.2%
Health and Wellness	Seniors Living in Families, 2000
	50.2%
	Median Value of All Owned Housing, 2000
	\$63,500
	Seniors in Poverty, 2000
Health and Wellness	17.4%
	Average Income of Senior Households, 2000
	\$32,343
	Seniors with a College Education, 2000
	9.6%
	No Exercise, 2005
	34.1%
	No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy, 2004
	38.8%
	High Blood Pressure, 2005
	52.5%
Health and Wellness	Obesity, 2005
	17.6%
	Smoking, 2005
	8.5%
	No Mammography, 2004
Health and Wellness	34.8%
	High Cholesterol, 2005
Health and Wellness	52.6%

*Three year average 1999-2001 and 2002-2004

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